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Counter-Attack by Americans Slows German Offensive

Nazis Break Across Moder River at Four Places—British Army Continues Advance

PARIS, Jan. 25 (AP).—The Germans opened up in Eastern France today with what may be their last offensive in the West, but it was slowed to a crawl by savage United States Seventh Army counter-attacks after breaking across the new American Moder River line at four places.

The attack rolled out at dawn along a 20-mile front north of Strasbourg, with three crack armored divisions pacing at least three others in an assault which nowhere gained as much as two miles. A front dispatch said hard fighting raged tonight with the Americans inflicting punishing losses.

All along the front, a late dispatch said, the Germans were checked or smashed back.

The threat to American positions at pivotal Haguenau, probably an initial German objective, was eased by infantry counter-attacks which shoved the enemy back across the Moder River east of this town, 15 miles north of Strasbourg.

Three German crossings of the Moder in considerable force from two to five miles west of Haguenau and 15 miles deep into Alsace, also were under attack and the enemy was being driven back across the river.

It was along the Moder that Lt.-Gen. Alexander Patch's forces had set up a new line after pressure forced a withdrawal farther north.

While late reports said the Germans were being "contained," there was no attempt to minimize the force of the push and a United States staff officer declared it was a "major effort" to try to reconquer all Alsace, which Hitler had incorporated into Germany in 1940.

The Germans struck under cover of thick weather as they did in the ill-fated Ardennes campaign, attacking with at least one armored division, one parachute division and two infantry divisions.

In addition, they had other troops in reserve and also had units counter-attacking in Southern Alsace against the French First Army to keep up the pressure all along the Alsatian front.

The Allies can afford to give

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From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, Jan. 25.—Salvoes of "trumpets" continue to boom nightly over Moscow, says The Times editorially, and with abundant reason, for never in the history of warfare has so tremendous a military operation been undertaken in the Winter as that which is now sweeping on from victory to victory in Eastern Germany.

No attempt was made by the Red Army to achieve a strategic surprise. The Germans fully expected an offensive, but they proved powerless to withstand it. The mighty drive is a veritable masterpiece in the art of war.

Because Germany's industrial areas, the Ruhr, Saar and Silesia, are close to her frontiers, German strategy is forced to defend them at all costs.

Silesia, for instance, has been producing as much coal as the Ruhr. Now that production will cease, supplies to the war machine will be gravely curtailed. The Nazi High Command felt it could retreat from Poland, but the loss of Silesia would be disastrous.

Hence the battle for that region was imperative. Yet in two weeks the Red Army has not only overrun East Prussia but has practically wrested industrial Silesia from the enemy as well. This, says The Times, is a gigantic German disaster.

The mortal effects of the war on two fronts has become ever more plain. To check the Russians, full use should have been made of German armored units. But this armor was required recently in the West to present a breach in the Rhine front.

Berlin comment is gloomier than ever, says The Times Stockholm correspondent. He describes the Eastern Front as convulsed by a vast Iliple battle. Fighting around Poznan is perhaps the most violent, and it is clear there is no hope of halting the Russians there.

Apparently a huge German army is cut off and surrounded in the Lodz-Radiasz area, which Marshal Zhukov's forces by-passed in the great sweep to Poznan. The Germans say Hitler has entrusted the Eastern command to a brain trust composed of the most experienced generals, including new and younger men.

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Brigadier Retiring



Brig. Sherwood Lett, D.S.O., M.C., who is retiring from the Canadian Army and who will resume his law practice at Vancouver.

Veteran of Two Wars to Retire

OTTAWA, Jan. 25 (CP).—Brig. Sherwood Lett, 49, D.S.O., M.C., wounded at Dieppe and Normandy and former deputy chief of the General Staff, is retiring from the army and resuming his law practice in Vancouver, Defence Headquarters announced tonight.

The announcement added: "As a result of wounds, Brig. Lett is no longer fit for military service and will resume his civilian status."

Brig. Lett was born in Iroquois, Ont., went West while a young man and joined the Irish Fusiliers of Canada in 1913 in Vancouver. He was commissioned in 1915 and went overseas as a lieutenant in 1916. He was awarded the Military Cross and promoted captain.

Following the demobilization he graduated from the University of British Columbia in 1920 and then went to Oxford as a British Columbia Rhodes Scholar. He was a member of the U.B.C. Senate from 1924 to 1939 and of the board of governors from 1935 to 1938.

Brig. Lett first served in the present war on staff appointments overseas, but in December, 1941, was given command of the South Saskatchewan Regiment. In March, 1942, he became a brigade commander and was promoted to his present rank.

After recovering from severe wounds at Dieppe he was appointed deputy chief of the General Staff serving here, but early in 1944 he returned overseas to assume command of a brigade which stormed the Normandy beaches. He was wounded a second time in the fighting at Louviony, near Caen.

Japs in New Drive

CHUNGKING, Jan. 23 (AP).—Japanese forces, in a three-pronged drive to strengthen their corridor bisecting China, have taken Yingtak and are being engaged 18 miles south of Kuoming, provisional capital of Kwangtung Province, the Chinese High Command announced tonight.

Yingtak, a railway town 75 miles north of Canton, was captured by enemy units driving from the south.

HONORARY KNIGHT

LONDON, Jan. 25 (CP).—King George today appointed Admiral Harold R. Stark an honorary Knight of the Grand Cross in the Order of the British Empire for outstanding service as commander of United States naval forces in Europe.

SHIPPING EMBARGO

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (CP).—The Association of American Railroads today placed an embargo on consignment of all except war freight to, through and within the area east and south of the Great Lakes.

Confirm Shelling Of Enemy Island

PEARL HARBOR, Jan. 25 (AP).—An American naval task force shelled Iwo Jima in the Volcanos Tuesday while heavy bombers also attacked the eight-square-mile enemy island with more than 187 tons of bombs, Pacific Fleet Headquarters announced today.

It was the third time in two months that Marianas-based B-29's had joined ships of the Pacific Fleet in a co-ordinated sea and air blasting of the fortress island 750 miles south of Tokio.

The task force, probably composed of cruisers and destroyers, inflicted "severe damage" on Iwo's defence installations, the communique said.

Clark Field Captured by U.S. Forces

Drive for Manila Continues Steadily

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC ADVANCE COMMAND, Jan. 26 (Friday) (AP).—Clark Field, whose 13 airstrips constitute one of the richest prizes yet taken in the Pacific War, was captured Thursday by southward driving Americans along with adjacent Fort Stotesenburg, while other columns pushed to within a scant 40 airline miles of Manila.

Clark Field, where Japanese dive-bombers wiped out the Americans' main air strength in the Philippines in early December, 1942, may serve as a land air base to help blast open landing beaches on the coast of China.

The United States Fourteenth Army Air Corps, moving so fast that the Japanese were unable to mass defences in ridge areas where they had labored for months, sent motorized columns well beyond Clark Field.

Angeles, five miles south of Clark Field, was reached. To the northeast, other columns took Magalang, highway junction on the direct route to Manila.

On the West Coast, south of Dasol Bay, the Americans advanced more than five miles south from Infanta to take the town of Santa Cruz.

Corregidor Fortress in Manila Bay was bombed for the second straight day, and enemy installations in Subic Bay to the north were attacked as well as the Port of Aparri on the Northern Coast of Luzon.

Heavy pressure was maintained on Japanese entrenched at Rosario, on the highway to Baguio, southern capital of the Philippines.

Heavy bombers operating with a fighter escort heavily attacked the big active naval base in Manila Bay, causing large explosions and fires, the communique reported and a 10,000-ton tanker was destroyed off Aparri.

Says Eisenhower in Contact With Stalin

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Merrill Mueller, N.B.C. reporter, just returned from Paris, said in a broadcast tonight that he learned a little more than a week ago, in a talk with General Eisenhower, that the Allied commander had "established contact with Marshal Stalin." He did not disclose how the liaison was maintained.

GERMANS BEST FED

WITH BRITISH TROOPS IN GERMANY, Jan. 25 (AP).—The best fed people in Europe are the Germans, in the opinion of British Tommies. Huge stores of hams, canned meats, pickles, vegetables and fruit are to be found in almost any village. Common, too, are chickens and geese.

Piece of London Now "Forever Canada"



A LITTLE piece of London here becomes "Forever Canada" as the Mayor of Holborn, London, England, Alderman Wilfred E. Mullen, J.P., plants a maple tree in Lincoln's Inn Fields to commemorate the cordial relations existing during the war between the Royal Canadian Air Force overseas, whose headquarters is here, and the citizens of Holborn. The maple tree, flown across the Atlantic in a bomber, was the gift of Major J. Stanley Lewis and the citizens of Ottawa. Standing by in the picture is the chaplain of the Canadian forces.

New Nazi Super-Flying Bomb Now in Production

Germans Claim V-4 Can Hit East Coast of North America—Travels 1.8 Miles a Second

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 25 (Reuters).—V-4—new super flying bomb which the Germans claim can hit New York and other points on the Eastern North American Coast—now is in production and ready for launching across the Atlantic, a German engineer, who was one of the principal inventors of V-weapons, told correspondents today.

Until a few days ago he was head of an experimental station for V-bombs in Jutland, but escaped to Sweden.

The V-4 is faster and more accurate than the V-2—and V-3 which is only an improved version of V-2—the engineer said.

It weighs about 15 tons, travels at 1.8 mile a second and attains an altitude of more than 120 miles.

It reaches the height in just over two minutes after being fired at an angle of 75 degrees.

Its great altitude and speed give it increased accuracy and range.

The V-4 is driven on the reaction principle by exploding gases. Gases are obtained from liquid carried in the tanks built along the sides of the weapon in the same way as vapor is obtained from liquid gasoline in a motor car carburetor.

The gases are led into a tube 15 centimetres in diameter and 10

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BULLETINS

RECORD COLD WAVE

NEW YORK, Jan. 25 (AP).—The Winter's most severe cold wave engulfed the Northeastern United States today, plunging temperatures to record-smashing below-zero markings. Seven deaths in New England and New York were attributed to the cold blast. The mercury dropped to as low as 32 under zero.

BRITONS SEE STALIN

MOSCOW, Jan. 25 (AP).—Premier Stalin tonight received a British Parliamentary delegation at the Kremlin for a talk of an hour and a quarter "covering a wide field." Also present for the reception were Vyascheslav Molotov, Soviet Foreign Commissar, and Ivan Maisky, vice-commissar for foreign affairs.

HALT PRODUCTION

TRENTON, N.S., Jan. 25 (CP).—Operations at the Eastern Car Company's plant here, which has been working on an order of railway cars for Russia, were halted today by the management on the ground that some of the employees were on a slowdown. It was indicated that the plant would remain closed until the company received assurances employees' grievances would be handled through orthodox channels.

ARTHUR SYMONS DIES

WITTERSHAM, Kent, England, Jan. 25 (Reuters).—The death of Arthur Symons, the poet and critic, at his home here Monday, was announced today. He was 79.

Britain Ready to Use Poison Gas If Germans Start

LONDON, Jan. 25 (Reuters).—Prime Minister Churchill stated in the House of Commons today that if Germany used gas against Britain, Britain would be in position "very swiftly" to retaliate tenfold against Germany.

The Prime Minister was answering a question by Reginald Purbrick, Conservative, who asked: "Whether in view of the possibility of the enemy, now that he is being cornered, resorting to gas, we are prepared with sufficient machines and gas immediately to deluge Germany in the same manner after the enemy have started to use this weapon."

Mr. Churchill, in a written answer, replied: Sir, if the contingency indicated by Mr. Purbrick were to occur, he may rest assured that tenfold retaliation could very swiftly be inflicted on Germany. It is no doubt that a realization of this fact and not the moral scruples on the part of the enemy that has hitherto procured us immunity from this particular form of warfare."

Applies Pressure To Switzerland

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP).—The United States applied economic pressure to Switzerland today for its continued dealings with Germany.

The State Department announced that President Roosevelt is sending one of his own administrative assistants, Lauchlin Currie, to resume negotiations with the Swiss in an effort "to shorten the war."

Mr. Currie, 44-year-old native of Dublin, N.S., will seek two objectives mainly:

1. To persuade the Swiss to close their railroads to shipments of coal and other goods from Germany to Northern Italy.

2. To cut off continuing exports of some machine tools and a few strategic metals and food supplies from Switzerland into Germany.

Plan Modern Type Sulphate Pulp Mill for Port Alberni

Contingent on the approval of the Provincial Government of an assessment agreement between the company and the City Council of Port Alberni, plans are under way by Bloedel, Stewart & Welch timber interests to build a sulphate pulp plant with an annual production of 50,000 tons alongside their present sawmill in the Up-Island city. The undertaking will be on an extensive scale.

Following several meetings between Bloedel, Stewart & Welch officials and the Port Alberni City Council during the past week, agreement was reached on a 20-year fixed assessment proposal which will be laid today before Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Municipal Affairs and his deputy, E. H. Bridgman.

Work on the new pulp mill, which is intended to begin at the earliest moment, must be withheld until the terms of the agreement are ratified by the municipal department and enabling legislation passed by the Legislature.

Prentice Bloedel, president, and Bruce M. Farris, vice-president of Bloedel, Stewart & Welch, Ltd., arrived in Victoria yesterday in company with Gordon Campbell, city solicitor for Port Alberni, and will interview Mr. Anscomb this afternoon.

Company plans call for the erection of a most modern type of plant to utilize present mill and logging waste. A complete recovery plant is included in the plans and the chemicals used in the process will be reclaimed and used again.

It will take approximately three years to construct and put the pulp mill into actual operation, employing during this period a number of men on the construction and installation of machinery, but on completion and when in operation the mill will employ some 200 workers.

To secure the passage of enabling legislation for the assessment agreement, a petition to obtain the necessary three-fifths or more of the number of registered voters in Port Alberni will be prepared during the coming week. No difficulty is anticipated by the City Council or the Port Alberni Board of Trade, which has backed the project, in securing the required number of names.

Possibly 200,000 Germans Trapped in East Prussia as Red Army Smashes Onward

Nazis Report Russian Wedge Driven to the Baltic—Tide Rolls Near "Gateway to Berlin"

LONDON, Jan. 25 (AP).—The Red Army today cut the trunk railway escape route out of half-conquered East Prussia, sealing off perhaps 200,000 German troops, while Berlin reported that other Soviet units had pierced the Upper Oder River defence line on a 125-mile front on both sides of besieged Breslau, Silesian capital.

The German D.N.B. Agency said the Russian invaders of East Prussia, totaling more than 2,325,000 men, had driven a wedge to the Baltic Coast at Elbing in one of the greatest encirclement operations in history, and had broken into Elbing itself, 30 miles southeast of Danzig.

While Moscow did not officially confirm this report the Soviet communique did announce the capture of Briensdorf, nine miles east of Elbing, and Baumgarth, 12 miles to the south. In taking Briensdorf the Russians cut the last Berlin-Konigsberg trunk railway.

Capturing more than 1,500 towns and villages on the 14th day of their gigantic push toward the heart of Germany, the Russians rolled to within five miles east of Poznan, Western Polish stronghold and "Gateway to Berlin," with the capture of Swarzedz, Murowana-Goslina, ten miles north of Poznan, also fell as the Russians swept up the Wartha River and prepared to cross that barrier in a flanking movement on Poznan.

With the capture of Swarzedz the Russians now were 142 miles due east of Berlin, the closest announced point on the direct road to the German capital. The Soviet Army newspaper Red Star, however, said some units were about 125 miles from the enemy capital, presumably to the southeast.

Pushing westward across the base of the Polish corridor north of Poznan the Russians in a ten-mile advance seized Krynia, 22 miles from the German Pomeranian frontier.

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Hitler Orders Army To "Scorch" Every Inch of Reich Lost

LONDON, Jan. 25 (CP).—Adolf Hitler tonight categorically ordered German commanders on the eastern front to scorch every inch of German soil they abandon, while Germany was forced to clamp a state of siege on populations of Prague and Eastern Czecho-Slovakian cities rebelling as the Red Army approaches, the Moscow radio said.

The "scorched earth" order and other signs indicated the Germans may be despairing of stemming the Russian tide, now reported only 125 miles from Berlin—or of making an early return to the yielded territory.

Berlin disclosed a Czecho-Slovak state of siege and admitted German forces were retreating before Red Armies driving approximately 125 miles from Prague, the old Czecho-Slovak capital.

Moscow said workers had gone on strike in Prague and that people were "fighting the Gestapo in various districts" in an attempt to prevent German evacuation of machinery and material.

Awarded V.C. Posthumously

LONDON, Jan. 25 (CP).—Lieut. John Hollington Grayburn, commander of a platoon of British parachutists who, for three blazing days and nights, held a vital bridge at Arnhem, has been posthumously awarded the Victoria Cross. The London Gazette announced tonight, more than four months after the heroic action.

The northern end of the bridge over the Neder Rhine at Arnhem in Holland was captured September 17 by a parachute battalion of an Army Air Corps and the same evening Grayburn led a platoon in an attempt to capture the southern end. The platoon stormed through a hail of fire from 20-mm. quick-firing guns, machine-guns and an armored car. Grayburn was wounded through the shoulder but he continued to press forward "with the greatest bravery" until casualties were so heavy he was ordered to withdraw.

Later his platoon was ordered to occupy an exposed house in defence of the bridge. It did so and throughout the next day and night and the following day it held under ceaseless attacks by German mortars, machine-guns and even tanks and self-propelled guns. "All attacks were repulsed due to Grayburn's valor and skill . . ," the citation said.

The platoon quit only when the house was set on fire.

Grayburn, formerly a farmer in the little village of Chalfont St. Giles, in Buckinghamshire, then organized his men into a fighting patrol which held off a day-long series of attacks by tank-supported German infantry, and smashed an enemy attempt to dynamite the bridge. He again was wounded but refused to be evacuated.

The young parachutist was killed as he stood up in full view of an oncoming German tank while directing the withdrawal of his men when the position became untenable.

Sink 50 Japanese Ships in Two Weeks

CHUNGKING, Jan. 25 (AP).—A Chinese Central News Agency dispatch today reported that more than 50 Japanese ships were sunk off the coast of Chekiang and Fukien during the last two weeks by American planes and submarines.

Award Car Men Part Of Demand

4½-Cent Pay Boost Instead of 6 Cents

VANCOUVER, Jan. 25 (CP).—A basic wage increase of 4 1-2 cents an hour for all members of the Street Railwaymen's Union (A.F.L.) in Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster, B.C., has been granted by the Regional War Labor Board, M. H. McGeough, board administrator, announced tonight.

The decision was handed down after a two-day meeting of the board here following an application by the union for a six-cent basic wage increase and other working adjustments.

Labor Board officials said the 4 1-2-cent increase would be effective from March 1, 1944, the day a union agreement with the company expired.

In addition, the board announcement said, special workers, including Victoria City and University of British Columbia bus operators, would receive an additional 3 1-2-cent basic wage increase effective March 1, 1945.

There was no comment immediately from officials of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company or the union.

The increases will affect about 2,700 employees of the B.C.E.R., who went on strike recently for 10 days in protest against a refusal of the National War Labor Board to grant

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12,000 Americans A.W.L. in Europe

PARIS, Jan. 25 (AP).—Brig.-Gen. Pleas B. Rogers, commanding general of the Seine section, said tonight that the United States Army's campaign against black market diversion of supplies en route to the front was a determined effort to wipe out a serious menace to the conduct of the war.

More than 12,000 men are absent without leave from their units, it was disclosed. The serious cases, involving a menace to vital supplies, are soldiers who remain absent, turn to theft because they cannot draw pay or get money from home, and eventually join the black market racketeers dealing in cigarettes, food, gasoline and other stolen army goods.

Stressing the gravity of the gasoline thefts, General Rogers said the plundering of vital fuel in rear areas last September resulted in a shortage of gasoline among front line forces at a most critical moment.

Young Men Forbidden to Quit Canada Without New Permits

Commencing February 1 male British subjects between the ages of 18 and 31 inclusive, who are residents of Canada, will be forbidden to leave the country without first securing a special written permit from the National Mobilization Board.

This was announced yesterday by C. A. Yarnis, collector of customs here, after a communication from Ottawa had stated "unauthorized movements of men to the United States had been causing serious concern to authorities both at Ottawa and Washington."

The number of such males who left Canada for enlistment in United States armed forces, or enlistment in that country, was not disclosed.

Accordingly, commencing February 1, customs officers will examine and closely question persons, and will take such steps as may be necessary to prevent their departure from Canada unless they produce written authorization to do so from a chairman or deputy chairman of a National Mobilization Board.

As there is but one such board in British Columbia, located at Vancouver, any Victorian in the restricted age group wishing to journey to the United States will first have to appear before officials at the Mainland city.

R. W. Mayhew, M.P., yesterday contacted the Vancouver board in efforts to have a deputy authorizing officer appointed for Victoria who would be able to sign the necessary permits. Although reporting nothing definite, Mr. Mayhew seemed sure that such arrangements could be made.

"It seems to me," he added, "that this is just an extra precaution being

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Think Date of Dissolution to Be Known Soon

OTTAWA, Jan. 25 (CP).—Political circles in the capital regard it as quite possible that Prime Minister Mackenzie King will announce or at least forecast the date of dissolution of Parliament in the Speech from the Throne proroguing Parliament next Wednesday.

The Cabinet met today and it was understood dissolution was among matters discussed.

Another matter facing the Prime Minister is the filling of 16 vacancies in the Senate, but officials stated there was nothing to prevent him delaying his selection until after dissolution.

The vacancies are: Prince Edward Island 1, Nova Scotia 1, New Brunswick 3, Quebec 3, Ontario 4, Manitoba 2, Alberta 1 and British Columbia 1.

There is no rule forbidding appointments to the Senate between dissolution and election day. The general practice has been for Prime Ministers to make their selections either before dissolution or on the same day.

When the 16 vacancies are filled there will be 64 Liberal senators and 32 Progressive Conservatives, the first occasion when the standing has been two to one since the Premiership of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The present standing is Liberals 48 and Progressive Conservatives 32.

When Sir Wilfrid went to the country in 1911 there were only 87 seats in the Senate as compared with the present 96. Liberals held 64 seats, the Conservatives 21 and there were two vacancies.

Bank of England May Call in All Big Paper Money

LONDON, Jan. 25 (Reuters).—The Bank of England is likely soon to take steps to call in all banknotes of £10, £20, £50, £500 and £1,000 values as an additional step to check the activities of foreign exchange smugglers, income tax dodgers and black market operations.

These new powers for the bank were published in an order in council today.

The bank is empowered to give one month's notice to call in any of the notes of the bank of any denomination of not less than £5 on payment of the face value. On the expiration of the notice given with respect to any such notes they cease to be legal tender.

The new step will make transactions in the black market more difficult. It will also handicap income tax dodgers, who demand payment in notes instead of by cheque, and thwart the currency smugglers in the foreign exchanges.

DISSOLVE ORGANIZATION

MOSCOW, Jan. 25 (AP).—"Comrades in Arms," an organization of Finnish ex-servicemen and women described by the Russians as Fascist, was dissolved today, dispatches from Helsinki said.

Rescue Flyer From Flaming Plane, Reward for Heroism

OTTAWA, Jan. 25 (CP).—A daring rescue story was disclosed by Defence Headquarters tonight with the announcement of the award of the George Medal to Capt. Herbert William Mulherin, 22, of Grand Falls, N.B., and the British Empire Medal to Pte. Frederick Charles Smalley, 23, of Vancouver.

The decorations were won last October 16 at Rimini, Italy, when the two men pulled an [illegible] from a crashed burning plane in the face of flames, exploding aircraft ammunition and the constant threat of an unexploded bomb.

Capt. Mulherin and Pte. Smalley were driving along a highway adjoining the Rimini airdrome when a Spitfire fighter-bomber crashed a short distance away. They ran to the scene of the crash and found the aircraft and the pilot slumped unconscious in the cockpit.

Although he had seen the bomb beneath the aircraft and knew the danger of explosion, Capt. Mulherin, [illegible] to extricate the pilot. He found him jammed in to the cockpit by his parachute harness and with his feet caught in the controls.

Capt. Mulherin managed to undo the parachute harness and, reaching into the cockpit, was burned on the face and right hand by a gust of gasoline flame. He pulled the pilot free and he and Smalley beat out the airman's flaming clothing and carried him to safety. The airman recovered from his burns.

Pte. Smalley, a member of the Royal Canadian Army Service Corps, was born in Vancouver and lived there before he enlisted. His wife lives in England, while his mother, Mrs. C. Smalley, lives at Vancouver.

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V-4 Bomb

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metres long, running along the axis of the bomb. Here they are exploded by an electric spark.

The new principle in the V-4 is in using electricity to ignite the gases, the engineer said.

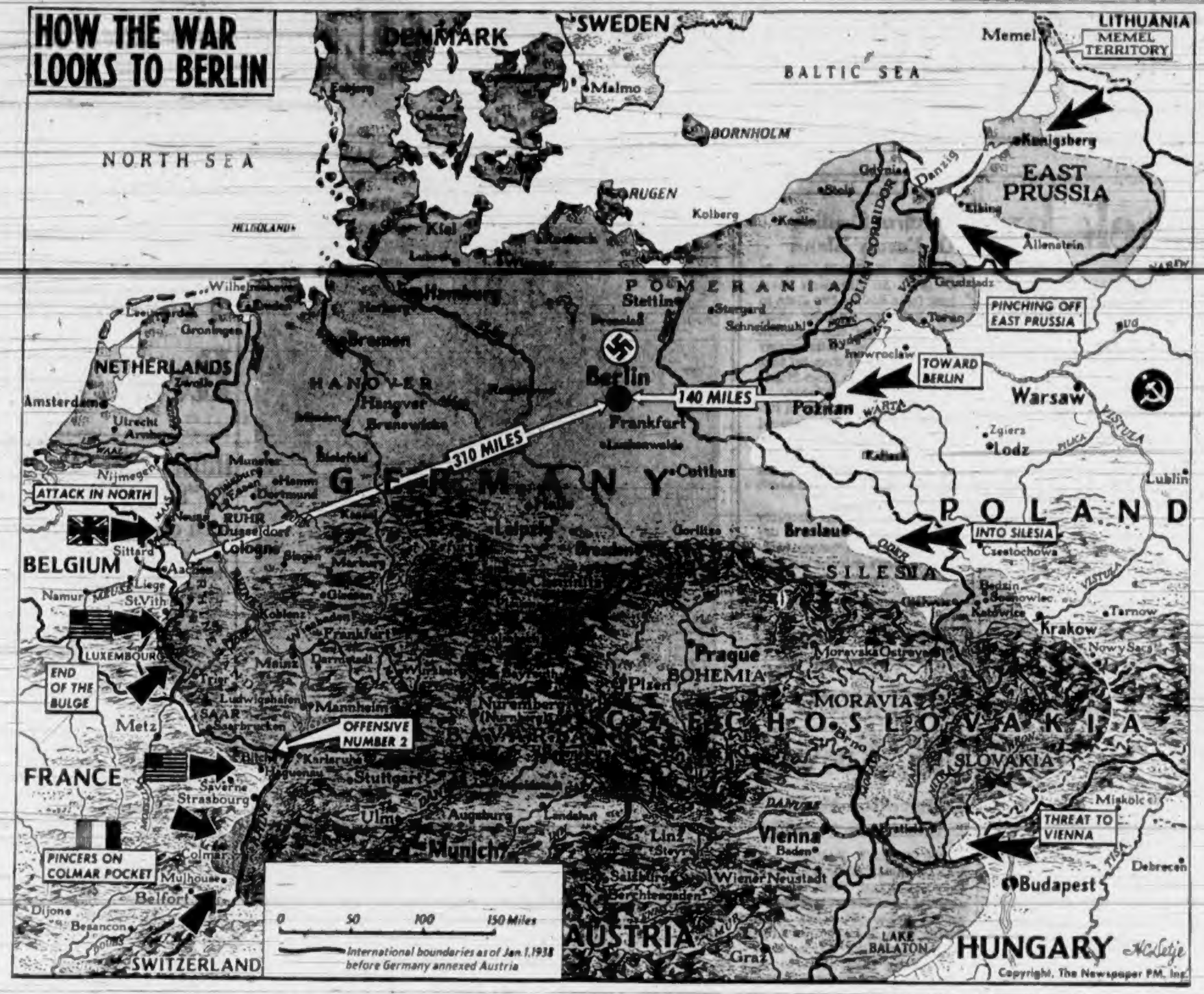
The great disadvantage of V-4, the engineer said, is that it is difficult to produce in quantity.

The Germans could therefore only send a limited number of bombs against Halifax, New York or such cities.

The Germans will probably reserve it for European targets until their final defeat, when sheer spite may cause them to attack North American cities, he said.

LONDON (CP).—Cost of the Home Guard during 1944-45 is estimated at £16,600,000 (about $75,000,000) and the capital value of its stores, clothing and equipment at £60,854,000.

FOR COUGHS COLDS- YOU CAN'T BEAT BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE



Increase in Wolf Population Noted in Western Provinces

REGINA, Jan. 25 (CP).—The timber wolves' invasion from the North today had reached the verge of the bald prairie, undismayed by an angry defence that dropped at least 900 in their tracks in the last year.

Saskatchewan officials said their reports indicated the southward movement of the lords of the bush was quite as pronounced as in Northern Manitoba and Ontario, where wolves have been seen in districts farther south than usual.

J. B. Reid, acting game commissioner, said that the Saskatchewan region was near the bottom of the rabbit cycle and it was believed that the shortage of their usual food caused the wolves to range south in search of prey which sometimes included farm livestock.

In the year ending October 18, 1944, the Provincial Government bounty was paid on 900 wolves, a record.

Other sources said that a factor in the increase in wolves was the reduction in the number of trappers now active in the North. Another suggestion was that changing caribou migrations in the North had brought the wolves farther south close to livestock country where they found calves easy to kill and decided not to trouble going north again when the caribou moved on.

One farmer said that a wolf had been killed near Turtleford in the West recently, in a district where wolves had seldom been seen even in the memory of the pioneers. In the eastern part of Saskatchewan wolves have appeared south of Hudson Bay Junction in territory where they never were reported before.

Some northern residents said that the losses to livestock in recent years could be counted in the hundreds of heads—mostly calves.

Game officials said that they had no reports of the wolves attacking humans although they had checked on the experience of Indians, trappers and others who had lived in the timber belt for a long time.

They would not venture a guess as to how far south the timber wolves might move. An attraction for the marauders might be the increasing herds of deer in the protected prairie territory south of a line drawn east and west across the province and running near Saskatoon. In this region no deer may be shot and officials said it was planned to maintain the protection regulations until after the war so that men returning from overseas might share in the hunting. But if the deer caused extensive damage to farm crops a change in the policy might be necessary sooner.

Robert Burns Program Held

The immortal memory of Robert Burns was honored last night by more than 250 members and friends of the Burns Club of Victoria at the 23rd annual dinner of the organization in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium. Rev. T. H. McAllister, president and chairman, introduced several visitors, among whom were two from Dawson City, Yukon Territory.

Feature of the evening program was a one-hour address, "The Immortal Memory of Robert Burns," by Sheriff Duncan MacBride. Toasts in memory of the great Scottish writer and philosopher were also included.

Saying that Robert Burns was the instrument of harmony between the Creator and mankind, Sheriff MacBride outlined the great works and inspirations of Burns that have lived throughout the years since he died at the early age of 37 in 1796.

"He was no ordinary man," the speaker said. "He rose to great fame with his personality and presence of mind. To him, more than any other man, goes the credit of praising his country in song."

Outlining conditions in Scotland during Burns' life, Sheriff MacBride told of the "deep misery and despair, the heavy taxation and the deplorable social conditions."

Knowing the hopelessness of life which existed in the hearts of so many Scots, Robert Burns had built the foundation for his remarkable writings. His works were based on the more simple things of life, and he made the humble things in life assume importance and beauty. It was what the people of the stricken country had needed.

"One of the world's greatest artists," the speaker continued, "Robert Burns was noted for his truth and intensity of expression. He had an eye for nature, and believed the Book of Nature should be open for all mankind."

PRAISES ARMED FORCES AND HOME FRONT

A toast by Col. Ross R. Napier praised members of the armed forces. "Behind them, and always with them, is the home front," Col. Napier stated. Speaking on the end of the war, he asked: "Can anyone imagine this war will end suddenly? The waves of this war will beat for many years and hundreds of backwaters will be felt in all nations," he predicted.

The toast was responded to by Col. Walter Bapty, who stressed the importance of helping returning men into civil life of the community. He reminded the large audience that "strength is the price we must pay for peace," after suggesting that Canadian armed might be retained after the war.

Prior to the dinner, the haggis was piped in by Pipe Major Donald Cameron, and the parade was led by Dr. W. R. Gunn. Address to the haggis was presented by W. B. Grant.

Pipe Major Cameron also played a bagpipe selection during the musical program.

Other toasts included: "The Lassies," by Rev. W. W. McPherson, and responded to by Mrs. J. J. Smith; "Kindred Societies," by W. R. Gunn and responded to by Mrs. C. Kelman, on behalf of the Knights and Dames of the Thistle. Another toast to "The Press, Speakers and Artists" was proposed by E. M. Whyte.

Vocalists taking part in the affair were Dr. F. C. Harwood, Miss Marion Mitchell, Fred Wright and Mrs. M. Goodwin. Mrs. E. A. Cartwright was accompanist.

"Auld Lang Syne" and "God Save the King" concluded the program.

Officers Call Government To End "Shameful Crisis"

TORONTO, Jan. 25 (CP).—Eleven discharged army officers with overseas service today addressed an open letter to the press of Canada "impelled by the absence or desertion of 6,300 Canadian soldiers." They described their letter, dated at the army's Christie Street Hospital, Toronto, as "a non-partisan contribution to the solution of this shameful crisis."

The letter called on the Government to acknowledge that a serious crisis exists, to pass an order in council making the whole army available for overseas service, and to strengthen army discipline to avoid any future collapse of authority.

The letter said:

"The Government has lost its authority over thousands of soldiers. Many citizens have lost confidence in the Government's army policy. To remedy the situation the Government must adopt an army policy which commands public support. The people and the press must do their duty by supporting army discipline and morale.

"We believe that the army policy should include three features. Firstly, the Government should acknowledge that a serious crisis exists. It should call on all patriotic citizens to aid the army and police in apprehending deserters. Secondly, an order in council should be passed making the whole army available for overseas service. Finally, the discipline of the army must be strengthened to avoid any future collapse of authority.

"The Government has been weak. The Opposition parties have used this grave situation for partisan purposes. Some newspapers have been inflammatory and irresponsible."

Langford P.-T.A. Seeks Footpath for Children

Evidence that the provision of a footpath from Langford Post Office along the Island Highway to Lake End Road would meet with the approval of residents of the district, is indicated by the 100 per cent support for the petition now being circulated by the Langford Parent-Teacher Association. So far no one has refused to sign the petition, which calls for construction of a mile and a half long footpath for the use of children attending Langford School.

In soliciting support for the petition, a representative of the P.-T.A. stated, Wednesday, that it is hoped that 450 signatures will be obtained before Public Works authorities are approached. Lives of children and motorists alike were endangered by this serious, accident hazard, he pointed out.

The old footpath had been destroyed when the Island Highway was widened, he stated, on the understanding that a new path would be provided. The number of children attending the school had increased enormously, the P.-T.A. representative asserted, and motorists, taking advantage of the improved road, had increased their speed.

Mrs. J. N. Gibson to Instruct Classes

Mrs. J. N. Gibson will instruct a dressmaking class, for twenty-one girls of Oak Bay High School, which has been opened by the Oak Bay Community Centre. This class was made possible by a member who donated two new Singer sewing machines. The girls will meet Monday and Friday afternoons from 3:30 to 5, at the hall.

The senior teen-age dance scheduled for Friday has been postponed. The Art Club, convener Miss M. Nickerson, will meet in the hall Wednesday at 8 o'clock. Anyone wishing to join may phone the convener.

Student sub-committee met at the home of Mrs. A. J. Bewley to discuss the various classes. J. Newall has offered to help the orchestra at practice. They plan to play for the junior dance in the High School. The girls' drill team will hold a co-ed dance, February 2, in the Goblin Hall to raise money for uniforms.

The centre is planning a recreation club for teen-agers in the hall, to be opened after school. Anyone having suggestions should phone the secretary, Mrs. A. J. Bewley, E 2198.

Conversions Approved

Permission to convert homes to two-family dwellings was granted by the city zoning board of appeal yesterday to W. R. Pye, 1773 Fairfield Road; Walter Parish and H. B. Craig, for a home at 2719 Mount Stephen Avenue, and Alderman T. W. Hawkins, for a home at 2027 Prior Street.

V. M. Clarke was given permission to make an addition to an apartment at 1677 Hollywood Crescent. Next meeting of the board was set for February 8.

SOME GROWTH

It takes a swordfish one year to grow from an egg the size of a pinhead to a 600-pound giant.

Says McNaughton Statement Shock To Britishers

LONDON, Jan. 26 (Friday) (CP).—The Daily Mail said in an editorial today that "it will come as a shock to the British people to learn from General McNaughton, Canada's War Minister, that 'the Atlantic is alive with U-boats'."

General McNaughton said in a speech Wednesday night at Shallow Lake, Ont., that "today the North Atlantic is, as it hasn't been for months past, alive with German submarines" and added: "We are having ships torpedoed day by day."

The Mail said there was a general impression in Britain that the U-boat, if not finished, at least was mastered and asked: "Is his (Gen. McNaughton's) statement justified by the facts?"

"If so it is very odd and disquieting also that the news should have been given to the British and American people not from their own naval sources but from Defence Headquarters in Canada," the editorial added.

"If this is another example of the absurd secrecy about important war developments which rules in Whitehall, it is most strongly to be deprecated."

SELLS BOND ISSUE

MONTREAL, Jan. 25 (CP).—Howard Smith Paper Mills Limited announced today that it had sold a $4,000,000 refunding bond issue of 3 per cent serial maturing at the rate of $400,000 a year over a period of ten years. Proceeds of the issue will be applied towards redemption of the outstanding bonds of the company and its subsidiary, Canada Paper Company.

BABY BURNS TO DEATH

QUEBEC, Jan. 25 (CP).—Gaetan Berube, one-year-old son of Charles Eugene Berube, Quebec taxi driver, was burned to death tonight when a fire of unknown origin swept through a three-story apartment house. Berube rescued three other children but suffered severe burns in trying to rescue Gaetan.

Gives Service Talk

Profits are not an end in themselves, S. Stephens told fellow Rotarians at a luncheon yesterday in the Empress Hotel. Speaking to a large gathering on the subject of "Service Above Self," he said too many moulded their philosophy on "machine-made, ready-to-wear views."

Radio voices from the ends of the earth and the printed word assailed men with those ready-made thoughts and opinions. "Humanity hates to exercise its brain," he declared.

DEEP EARTHQUAKES

Scientists say some earthquakes occur as far down as 1,000 miles below the earth's surface.

LONDON (CP).—The days when boys ran away to sea are over. All boys who want to join the British Merchant Navy now have to go through a special training course.

Ambassador Killed



CONSTANTINE OUMANSKY

Soviet Ambassador to Mexico, who was killed yesterday in a plane crash near Mexico City.

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Finds Large-Scale Racketeering In Soldiers' Parcels in Europe

By H. T. MATSON
Daily Colonist War Correspondent

BRUSSELS, Jan. 25.—The tales one hears concerning parcels that somehow or another don't land in the laps of their rightful recipients, are hot and multiple.

That a racket re same flourishes heartily in Europe is as certain as there is rice in China. Through personal experience and after an entire afternoon spent enquiring haphazard around the different service clubs, I became convinced that either at the different sending, loading or receiving points, no small amount of monkey business is quite the vogue.

Soldiers' theories are that parcels are deliberately stolen at such points, or that they are purposely dropped and set aside as damaged to await repacking and then just "forgotten."

Packages are often received with half or quarter of their contents missing, especially if the declaration label advertises that they contain anything like condensed milk, chocolate, fruit juice, pipe tobacco or coffee, which is all treasure trove when it comes to repedalling in the black market.

Any parcel weakly packed or correctly inscribed as to contents is more susceptible to petty pilfering.

WARN HOME FOLKS TO "DOPE" FORMS

To avoid this, most of the men have long since warned their home folk to dope the declaration form up like a Tia Juana race horse—to forge abandonedly—to fill that form in with odd socks, hand toothpicks, dead fish, castor oil—anything but the correct potato.

This practice, though apparently necessary, is in itself an incentive to further crime; that of meddling with His Majesty's mail, which in this instance might seem reasonably justifiable, but is nevertheless a serious misdemeanor. This subject is entirely dirty.

Anybody cheating on a soldier in the field is a skunk, weighted with double stinking apparatus and should be cracked down and spat on.

Nor does this business stop just at parcels—there is a European debauchment in high-powered highjacking rifer than was ever practiced by some of the greater American bootleggers in prohibition days. I was lucky enough, when cruising the service clubs for agenda re the foregoing, to encounter an official receiver detailed to one of the largest Canadian auxiliary service organizations in this theatre.

He cited that not long ago in Ghent, a carload containing millions of razor blades was successfully pirated to the extent of exactly two cartons of its much-valued cargo being left for eventual distribution—also a similar calamity befell a shipment of chocolate bars assigned to his department—and he was at the moment getting more than just anxious over a shipment of biscuits, toothpaste, cigarettes and numerous other delicacies highly anticipated by our indefatigable soldiers that had reached London early in December and as yet was not forthcoming.

BUCCANEERING COMMONPLACE

Such grand scale buccaneering is as commonplace as washing pendulous from the Monday backyard clothesline. Americans tell you of carloads of cigarettes handled by Army that merely land up on the streets of various French, Belgian and Dutch cities in the hands of restauranteurs or ordinary street pedlers.

The situation in general seems to be getting worse and worse. I have noticed recently a distinct shortage in many of the regional clubs.

Three or four weeks ago most of them had fair supplies of biscuits, chocolate bars, cigarettes, etc., which were dispensed over counters with tea and coffee—but latterly many of them can offer nothing but thickish, leanly-spread sandwiches and perhaps a rubbery "single-curranted" tasteless bun.

Cigarettes only appear between certain short hours and on some days the reply to your request for same is just that continental shrug that moves so slightly yet tells such a long, sad, silent story.

If such deficiencies were due just to lack of transport and the common difficulties of war, then nobody would complain; but when it is obvious that the whole despicable business works fast and grossly under the cowl of black market—well, what happened to pirates in the good old days? They keel-raked them or hung them from the yard arm, didn't they?

Get busy then, all those whose duty it is to see that goods invoiced to be delivered to a certain destination actually get delivered—especially when such goods are designated for the small comforts, health and psychological maintenance of the Allied soldier.

Says Quarrels in Canada Small Compared To Ravages of Nationalism in Europe

MONTREAL, Jan. 25 (CP).—Marcel Ouimet, C.B.C. war correspondent on leave from the Western Front, said today if Canadians in the trenches, or the dead on the battlefields of France, Belgium, Holland, Germany and Italy could speak their minds, they would tell Canadians at home how "small and irrelevant" are the "quarrels taking place in this country between groups and provinces."

He told a Canadian Club luncheon that coming back from the front he had been disturbed to hear and read of some of the utterances of some of his French and English-speaking compatriots, and to meet those who seemed to despair of the future of the country as a united, progressive nation.

"Is this country so blissfully untouched by the war that people cannot realize here what ravages have been caused by the most recent upsurge of nationalism in Europe? Or is it that we are afflicted with minor politicians whose mentality is so small that they cannot see how much their words are undermining the prestige and respect in which our forces and our country enjoy overseas because of their tremendous contribution to the cause of freedom?"

France Intends to Maintain Army Along Rhine After War

PARIS, Jan. 25 (AP).—France intends to maintain military forces all along the Rhine after the war, General de Gaulle told a press conference today.

Meeting newspapermen for the first time in weeks, the French leader said regretfully that he had not been invited to the forthcoming "big three" conference.

He told 200 French and foreign correspondents that France had made no formal request for an invitation to the conference, but had believed the heads of all three big countries had known of the French attitude.

"France does not intend to finish this war without assurance that the French Army is installed permanently along the length of the Rhine from one end to the other," General de Gaulle declared.

"They must be there not only for French security but for the security of the world."

He said history in the last 100 years had shown such a course to be essential, and added that France had suffered too much in this war not to claim this guarantee.

"We envisage control of the entire Rhine Basin as an industrial unit," the head of the French state said, adding that this, perhaps, would be an inter-Allied control because "we have no reason to exclude the other Allied nations."

"This," he explained, "does not necessarily imply the extension of France's frontier to the Rhine. The determination of the region's political status depends on accords with other nations—but French forces will be installed along the Rhine."

General de Gaulle said France did not intend to recognize the Lublin Committee as the provisional government of Poland, at least not immediately.

"France wants Poland herself to choose her government," he said.

France now recognizes the Polish Government in London, but has exchanged delegates with Lublin.

The Fighting Forces

Spends Leave Here



L.S. R. ATHERTON

L.S. Robert Atherton, R.C.N.V.R., 22, has been spending shore leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Atherton, 182 Obed Avenue, after two and a half years overseas. Robert has merely served on H.M.C.S. Assiniboine. A native son, he enlisted in 1941, and attended Tillicum School. Prior to enlistment he was employed by the Riverside Dairy and Sidney Roofing & Paper Co., Ltd. His wife, Leading Wren Julie Atherton, is serving as a motion picture operator at Halifax.

A brother, Gnr. John Trickey, is serving overseas. John has seen five years of overseas service, and was wounded in France last August. He is now in an English hospital recovering from pneumonia.

Dies of Wounds

Pte. George Hamilton, son of G. A. Hamilton, Alberni, died of wounds received in action, according to a recent casualty list.

Wounded in Action

Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. LaFortune, Cobble Hill, Pte. John Victor LaFortune has been listed as slightly wounded. He enlisted in January, 1941, and left for overseas in January the following year.

Returns to England

According to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Mason, 1342 Merritt Street, P.O. Robert Mason has returned to England, after serving 18 months in Ceylon and four months in the Bahamas. An R.C.A.F. man, he is attached to the R.A.F. P.O. Mason has two brothers serving in the forces, P.O. F. L. Mason, Jr., R.C.N.V.R., and L.-Cpl. J. E. Mason, with the army in Holland. All native sons, they received their education at South Park School, Sir James Douglas School and Victoria High School.

Slightly Injured

Two Vancouver Island men, Tpr. Keith Hocken and Cpl. W. J. K. Powell, have been slightly wounded in action, according to a casualty list released yesterday by the Department of National Defence.

Tpr. Hocken's father, Mark D. Hocken, resides at 525 Selby Street, Nanaimo, and Cpl. Powell's father, Eric Cyril Powell, lives at Maple Bay, Duncan.

Leaves for East

Pte. Robert Nelson Adams, 18, son of Mrs. B. Adams, 2616 Quadra Street, left yesterday for Camp Borden, Ont., where he will take up his advanced training. A native son, he attended North Ward School and Victoria High School, and was employed by Yarrows Ltd. prior to enlistment in November, 1944. Pte. Adams played softball for the New Method Laundry and basketball for Douglas Tire Service.

Now Serving Overseas

L.A.C. Ernest "Tim" Ockwell, R.C.A.F., is now serving overseas, according to word received by his wife, who is staying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ockwell, 3824 Rowland Avenue. Prior to enlistment in 1941, he was employed by the Pacific Sheet Metal Works, Ltd., and is now an administrative clerk in the R.C.A.F.

Army Enlistments

Recent army enlistments for Victoria and district were: Jacklin Leo Wilkinson, 101 Maddock Avenue; Harold Knappett, 868 Phoenix Street; John Howard Andrist, Ganges; Philip John Wooley, 856 Gorge Road West; William James Wallis, 3212 Rutledge Street; Arthur Rawcliffe, R.M.D. No. 4; Earl William Hilsden, R.R. No. 1, Sidney; Dvaid Michael Darvill, 144 Olive Street; Leigh Graham, 2083 Newton Street; Kenneth Edward Wannamaker, 3251 Wicklow Street; John Bak Cheng Chow, 1710 Government Street; Albert Chow, 713 Pembroke Street; John Malcom McMillan, 639 Langford Street; Keith Geoffrey Hollands, Sidney; Alfred Edward Williams, R.R. No. 1, Victoria; Wilbur McKenzie Robins, 2523 Asquith Street; Bruce Walker Finlayson, 1040 Craigdarroch Road; Jack Alexander Warwick, 2736 Forbes Street; Clifford James Malluorno, 1882 Taylor Street; Bob Chew Dai Too, 1810 Government Street; Frank Westman Gower, 2026 Fernwood Road; John Dexter Mason, 1916 Belmont Avenue.

The Up-Island enlistments were: Charles Edward Oldale, Union Bay; Ivon Quentin Jepson, Nanaimo; Charles Angus Campbell, Ladysmith; John Lloyd Freethy, Nanaimo; William Howard McDonald, Hamfield; Robert Kerr Marshall Waugh, Cumberland.

Victoria girls enlisting in the C.W.A.C. were: Muriel Helen Smith, Royal Oak; Winnifred Mary McGuiness, 321 Wilson Street; Nellie Aspinall, 321 Wilson Street.

Two New Firms at Alberni, Nanaimo

Two Vancouver Island companies were among new incorporations at the Legislative Buildings this week. They were Chatwin Motors, Ltd., Alberni, 100 shares of no par value, and Nanaimo Foundry & Engineering Works, Ltd., 1,500 shares of no par value.

Among ten new Vancouver firms were three mining companies with big capitalization. They were Bullion Gold Mines, Ltd., capitalized at $2,500,000; Vanada Mining Co., Ltd., $3,000,000; and Big Bell Exploration, Ltd., 100,000 shares of no par value.

Other Vancouver companies were Pine Tree Candy Shop, Ltd., $10,000; Beaton Stores, Ltd., $10,000; Seasonal Nurseries, Ltd., $10,000; Nelly's Lunch, Ltd., $10,000; Mawhinney Construction Co., Ltd., $50,000; Sweder's, Ltd., $10,000; and Refrigerative Supply Co., Ltd., $20,000.

Brantford Coach & Body, Ltd., with head office in Brantford and British Columbia head office at Vancouver, was registered as an extra-provincial company. Its capitalization is $100,000.

TWO VEHICLES DAMAGED

Considerable damage was caused to a car in charge of Robert A. Stewart, 784 Gorge Road, and a truck operated by Harry Haigh, 1203 Blanshard Street, when they collided at the intersection of Douglas and Cormorant Streets at 4:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

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Russian Drive

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and 125 miles southeast of the Baltic port of Stettin.

Units of two Soviet armies seized a total of 700 towns and villages in East Prussia as they closed in steadily on Konigsberg, East Prussian capital and central base for the outnumbered Germans who have lost approximately half of that 14,283 square-mile province.

Starkenberg, 17 miles southeast of Konigsberg, was seized by the Russians, as were Gross Scharlach, 20 miles on the northeast, and Goldbach, 21 miles to the east. Berlin acknowledged that the "first line" of defences guarding Konigsberg had been breached and stressed the numerical superiority of the attacking Soviets.

In their conquest of East Prussia the Russians were not only wiping out crack units of the German army and thousands of home army recruits, but were robbing Berlin and Northern Germany of a great food source.

CROSS ODER RIVER AT VARIOUS POINTS

At the end of two weeks of lightning war the German High Command said that Marshal Ivan S. Konev's First Ukraine Army units had crossed the Oder River at various points on both sides of Breslau between Steinau, 140 miles southeast of Berlin, and Cosel, 18 miles from the Moravian frontier of Czecho-Slovakia.

Moscow had not confirmed the crossing officially, but Soviet front dispatches did.

Gleiwitz, an important industrial city of 118,000 in the southeastern corner of Germany, fell to Konev's troops, who also seized Chrzanow, Polish coal centre 34 miles to the southeast. Premier Stalin announced in an order of the day. Gleiwitz is the largest German city yet taken by the Russians.

Sweeping around Gleiwitz toward Czecho-Slovakia and also striking into the German hinterland north of the Sudeten Mountains, the Russians rapidly were encircling the entire corner of the rich Silesian basin with its huge coal, zinc and iron mines and factories which make it the "Ruhr of the East."

Hindenburg and Beuthen, big German industrial cities, and Katowice, Chorzow, Sosnowice and Dabrowa, not only were menaced frontally, but were outflanked from the rear by the Russians pouring across the Oder—a natural barrier which the Germans had hoped to hold after their rout on the frozen Polish plains.

In another order of the day Marshal Stalin announced capture of Eis, a nine-way road hub 14 miles northeast of besieged Breslau, and also Ostrow, German fortress in Poland 35 miles northeast of Oels.

The crossing of the Oder at Steinau, 3 miles northwest of Breslau, put the Russians within 118 miles northeast of Dresden and 125 miles northeast of Prague, Czecho-Slovak capital, which Moscow radio said was under a German "state of siege" and the scene of rioting because of the Red Army's sensational advances.

Berlin claimed most of the 30 Soviet tanks which the Russians put across the Oder at Steinau were destroyed and the Soviet troops were "thrown back."

The German High Command told of other Soviet crossings farther upstream between Cosel and Brieg on a 55-mile front north of Breslau.

Moscow dispatches said Soviet artillery already was shelling Breslau, greatest German homeland prize yet within reach of any Allied army. Breslau, a great manufacturing centre and transit centre, is Germany's ninth city. It had a peacetime population of 615,000 which swelled to 1,000,000 as Berliners and bombed-out residents of other German cities flocked there to escape Allied air attacks from the west.

BERLIN REPORTS FIERCE FIGHTING

Berlin reported fierce fighting at Cosel, 23 miles west of captured Gleiwitz, just north of the Moravian gap which leads into Czecho-Slovakian Silesia—part of the German-operated arsenal so vital to Germany's survival.

In taking Chrzanow in Polish Silesia, Konev's troops advanced to within 10 miles northeast of the big German concentration camp at Oswiecim. Chrzanow, Marshal Stalin stressed, is part of the Dabrowa (Dombrowa) coal field which before the war produced 40,000,000 tons annually and was sold by Poland to countries ranging from Scandinavia to the Balkans.

The Soviet army newspaper Red Star said that Soviet vanguards were a little more than "200 kilometres" (124 miles) from Berlin, but did not give the area. Presumably the dispatch referred to the Steinau area, 20 miles west of Trachenberg, taken Wednesday by the Russians.

Other Soviet forces were battling at the gates of Poznan, 137 miles due east of Berlin on the highway from Warsaw. These units of Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's First White Russian Army have been engaged in a three-day battle with heavy German tank reinforcements thrown in around that big fortress city in Western Poland.

A Moscow dispatch said Zhukov's army packed enough power to cause a partial evacuation of Berlin and hurry the end of the war.

Moscow radio spoke of the "beginning of the end" for Germany, and "Berlin before Spring," and the Germans said Zhukov and other Soviet commanders on a front between the Baltic and the Carpathians still were bringing up reserves and hurling them directly into battle in an effort to break-through to Berlin's eastern approaches before the German high command can deploy "new German shock troops."

Berlin said the combined forces of the Third and Second White Russian Armies under Gen. Ivan Chernikhovsky and Marshal K. K. Rokossovsky which are steadily overrunning East Prussia totaled more than 2,325,000 men, including 155 infantry divisions and eight tank corps. Three days ago Berlin had placed the Russian strength on this front at only 1,000,000 men.

FIREMAN "COWBOY"

LONDON (CP).—Fireman Joe Moore is no cowboy but when he saw a runaway horse dashing toward some playing children he gave chase with his fire engine and corraled the animal against a wall before any harm was done.

Churchill Is Stopped by Speaker in House Debate

LONDON, Jan. 25 (Reuters).—Parliament today had the rare experience of seeing Prime Minister Churchill interrupted by the Speaker—Col. Clifton Brown—in a stormy question-time scene over alleged Air Ministry and British Overseas Airways Corporation irregularities.

The incident arose from a motion of a small group of members calling for a select committee to consider alleged Air Ministry irregularities. Mr. Churchill told the House that after investigating the position and finding that there was no ground for the allegations against the British Overseas Airways Corporation he would not advise the setting up of a select committee.

One of the targets of criticism had been Calgary-born Brig.-Gen. Critchley, chairman of the corporation.

The Prime Minister replied smoothly to pressure from Moelwyn Hughes, Labor, who asked him if he was aware that the allegations concerned not only the B.O.A.C. but affected most intimately the conduct of the R.A.F. Was that not a proper matter to be looked into by a committee? Mr. Hughes asked.

Mr. Churchill answered, "We do not take that view."

Earl Winterton, Conservative, intervened to ask the Prime Minister if it was not the ordinary practice to hold an inquiry when a member made a charge against the personal conduct of a minister—in this case the Secretary of State for Air.

The Prime Minister replied he thought these questions had to be judged individually. The Government had stated this view and would adhere to it.

As the Prime Minister sat down, Earl Winterton rose to say that in view of the Government's refusal to admit the ordinary practice in such cases of holding an inquiry, he would raise the matter on the adjournment.

Mr. Churchill, obviously angry, rose and attempted to ask the Speaker a question. The Speaker observed quietly that notice to raise the subject on the adjournment closed the matter for the present.

For a moment the proceedings were held up by noisy interruptions to the accompaniment of cries of "Order, order" from the Opposition benches, and an admonitory, "Do not lose your temper," from David Kirkwood, Labor. The Prime Minister inquired "with great respect" was he not entitled "in view of the very grave" words used by Lord Winterton to ask what is the charge he is going to make against the air section on the adjournment."

Earl Winterton answered he was making no charge, but was calling attention to a constitutional issue. He argued that when a charge of this kind was made against the conduct of a minister the Government should give their reasons, which might be good ones, for not allowing the ordinary process of inquiry to be held.

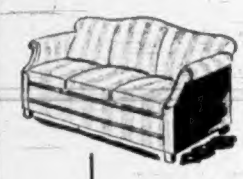
The Prime Minister rose but the Speaker again intervened and the House passed to fresh business. As the next question was being asked the Prime Minister, still looking wrathful, snapped his dispatch case shut and sat down.

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The Nation's Task

It would be a definite and worthwhile accomplishment in Canada if all political parties and all individuals agreed now to keep the re-establishment of our fighting men on their return after the war out of the field of partisan controversy. To make that possible the Administration would have to forego some pointing with pride, and opposition groups some viewing with alarm. Also, the general public would have to be prepared to applaud such impartiality, and, indeed, to insist upon it.

We will say now, and without any reservation, that the prepared draft of Canada's rehabilitation legislation for returning veterans is a good one. Real men worked at it. They were sincere in what they were doing, and they have done a fine job. It is literally true that on paper Canada has one of the widest and most generous policies for its returning fighters, that is to be found anywhere in the world at this moment. The machinery, then, is there. All that will be necessary is to apply it fairly and to see that it works. That, we submit, is a task for this nation as a whole, and one from which not one single individual can be granted any leave of absence.

Our debt to the men, and women, who have gone overseas for us is real. It is beyond question. It must be paid. It will not be possible for any government, or any province or any community to do alone what will need to be done for these men and women. All agencies, all individuals working together can secure that result. And that, in our view, is the way it should be. In the postwar years this must be a land where "Veterans Are Preferred".

Now It's the Press

By casting a slur on the press of this land, as he did in his recent campaign addresses, General A. G. L. McNaughton is adding neither to the clarity nor the dignity of his position. By and large, the press in Canada has done a consistently fine job in this war, laying aside politics and personal desires to do so objectively for the good of this nation as a whole. A Minister of the Crown with a few months' experience in office is possibly not in the best position to know either what the press has done or left undone in the last five years and five months. The press as a whole is apt to leave that issue with the public.

General McNaughton is in error, however, when he attributes to any section of the press, however small or quick-tempered, any desire to see Canada's recruitment policies fail. That amounts to an accusation of disloyalty. Nor, in our view, can it be justified. It is the press that has been in closest contact with the people, reporting faithfully what they want, say or do. It is the press that has called for men, for money, for help in the war upon all legitimate occasions. The very governance of the country would have remained voiceless without this assistance. It comes ill from a man, who presumably has not weighed these facts, to cast the slur that General McNaughton has done on any section of the press.

The press has been ably served in Canada. Men and women who are proud of their profession have worked long hard hours at it. They have toiled in cheerfully for those of their numbers who are fighting overseas. They have helped to train young men and young women to carry on in the same broad and sane tradition: the objective reporting of the news, and fair and just comment upon that. If General McNaughton has not yet learned how to take criticism, that is his misfortune. Let the general attend to his own duties first, and the press will take care of its tasks and responsibilities, as it has always done.

A General Election?

Mr. Mackenzie King will be within his constitutional rights if he decides upon a general election this Spring. We suppose, to put it fairly, that whether he does so or not he would be the target for some criticism. But what has done Mr. King some harm is the indecision which has attended the whole affair, and a too obvious attempt to throw the onus for whatever may be his final choice upon opposition groups in Parliament. A Government remain responsible for their acts.

We regret that the Prime Minister appears to have been influenced more by the internal affairs of the Dominion than by Canada's place externally in the war. From the latter standpoint a general election at the crest of the fighting in Europe cannot be helpful. No matter how it turns there is bound to be both interruption and delay here on the home front. Parliament in the process of dissolution cannot act. Governments waiting for a mandate from the people will not do so. The civil service itself will have its questions but no answers.

Two-thirds of the people of Canada, possibly, are aligned with no political party. In their view, if we interpret it aright, they would have been glad of the opportunity of saying to Mr. King that he should finish out the war without an election. There was precedent, too, for that. If the public has shown any marked tendency it has been towards what is expressed by "medicine and duty" for all who are engaged in the war response of this country. Governments included. What the full reaction will be to a general election remains to be seen. Overseas it may be viewed as delay and interruption at a most critical time.

Mr. King, however, has only two choices ahead of him. He can go to the country and risk the result at the polls, after a campaign which is apt to be both bitter and upsetting. Or he can ask for an extension of the life of the present Parliament on the ground of a definite and visible crisis in the war. We believe quite sincerely that the second choice would be the path of statesmanship, and it would secure for the Prime Minister a good deal more public support than either he or the Liberal Party under his leadership are likely to find at the polls with the Battle of Germany at its height.

Mr. King's dilemma is one to be viewed with some sympathy, but the choice eventually must be made by himself—for or against his own dictum that there should be no general election while the fighting lasted.

Flight in Germany

Germany's fast crumbling defences east of the Oder River, renewed pressure by the Western nations on the line of the Rhine, together with the spectre of steadily closing encirclement and mounting bombardment from the air as the approaching lines draw closer, must by now be causing a tremendous reaction on the home front in Germany. It probably is not propaganda but fact that German Government offices are being moved to the centre of the Reich, and that Hitler and his leading Nazi cohorts are on their way to Berchtesgaden to a safer home among the rocks.

In the provision of such a storm cellar at least Hitler seems to have been prophetic. How Germans on the home front will take the flight of their government and the going to earth of their chief spokesman and leaders is another matter. It cannot inspire confidence in any nation to witness what amounts to a flight from the front. Also the alarm felt by the German High Command at an open and active two-front war must by now have communicated itself fairly thoroughly to all officers and men under its command. Prisoners falling into Allied hands have been found depressed far beyond what is ordinary with the average arrogant Nazi disciple.

All of these factors, while helpful in the war, will still not preclude the necessity of crushing the German Army actively in the field. There is the real threat. So long as Germany has any body of men who believe that they are undefeated and unconquerable, that menace will last. The remedy, of course, is battle, and action on the huge scale that is shaping now upon all fronts in the war. Germany must be defeated to be convinced, and that defeat must be placed beyond all future possibility of excuse or argument. It must be visible and final.

Self Determination

All of the United Nations have set it up as a principle in the peace to come that there shall be self determination for the little so well as the great peoples of this earth. In a union such as Canada with its nine Provinces the principle should also apply. We like, therefore, what was said by Hon. R. L. Maitland, K.C., in an address at Kelowna the other day. We quote:

"I am sick and tired of being told by others who shall live here, that is a matter which this Province should decide. There are many stocks who are well fitted to walk with us on the road to make this a great province; there are other stocks who have shown themselves not so fitted. I am sick and tired of being dictated to, on this matter."

That was well said. It will have a responsive echo from numbers of people in British Columbia who know the facts and who have seen the results for themselves.

Housewife

Step softly through the days . . .
This gift is yours to take
And hold, through all the years to come—
The right to truly make
Some house into a home.
So live with flowers, and have your windows bright,
Crisp curtains, cushions plumped, and shining floors,
And cupboards filled with linen, clean and white.
And tend your plants, giving them warmth and light,
Keeping them glossy-leaved and brightly green.
Well watered, strong, and gay with blossomings.
The housewife's daily task.
These small, unspeaking things,
Proclaim the happy heart that always sings.

Step softly through the days,
These rooms where you must serve
In quiet hours well spent
Will show to all the secret of content.
So keep your kettle singing there
The ancient song of home-like things—
The smell of cooked food in the air,
The rinsing sound of chinaware—
A cheery hound that always brings
A smile to those who come.
No queen upon her throne
Has greater power to bless
Than she who makes within her home
A place for happiness.

—Elisabeth Henstridge.

Victoria, B.C.

All that's bright must fade—
The brightest still the fleetest.
—Moore.

Literature flourishes best when it is half a trade and half an art.—Dean Inge.

What woman can resist the force of praise.
—John Gay.

A majority is always the best repartee.
—Disraeli.

West Likes Drive

By L. S. B. SHAPIRO
North American Newspaper Alliance

WITH BRITISH ARMY ON THE WESTERN FRONT, Jan. 25.—British staff officers with a natural penchant for understatement freely use the word "stupendous" in describing the Russian offensive pace.

Marshal Stalin's drive may be thrilling to the rest of the Allied world, but to those on the Western Front who are directly concerned with the [illegible] task of attacking prepared German positions under Winter conditions it is a miracle of military efficiency and tactical brilliance. However, the Eastern threat has not yet had a visible effect on German troops or dispositions in the West. To British and Canadian troops, however, it has had the tonic effect reminiscent of the break-through days in Normandy.

Shortly after the radio recently announced Marshal Stalin's third order of the day, this correspondent came upon a group of Canadian soldiers chanting this parody on the popular American song, "Oh, Those Beautiful Reds, Those Great, Big, Beautiful Reds." They said they were rehearsing the song preparatory to going into the firing line where they will serenade the Germans in trenches within easy hearing distance.

There is evidence that German troops in the West have not yet been told of the seriousness of the Eastern situation. The few prisoners captured by the British north of Sittard were completely ignorant of the Russian drive up until recently.

Withdrawal of German armor from the Ardennes bulge still proceeds with systematic slowness indicating that no transfer of forces to the Eastern Front is immediately envisaged. As a matter of fact there is not much the Germans can pull out of the Western Front without seriously weakening their defence line. The Fifth and Sixth panzer armies which were used in the Ardennes sortie from the bulk of strategic reserves which Field Marshal Von Rundstedt possesses. The Sixth already has been withdrawn from Ardennes and the Fifth slowly is extricating itself.

It is highly improbable that these armies will be sent to the Eastern Front unless the situation there is in the last stages of desperation. Von Rundstedt must retain this mobile reserve which, incidentally, requires considerable refitting after its recent mauling, as a precaution against a possible full scale offensive by the Western Allies.

The question of why the Russians are able to make sensational gains in Winter, compared with our yard-by-yard advance, may be partly answered by factors of manpower, weather and terrain.

In respect to manpower, Marshal Stalin has both quantity and political authority to expend it at will, and he is not faced with the almost constant fog which rolls off the North Sea, nor is his battlefield complicated by dikes, canals and sub-sea level areas which has made marine engineering part of the technique of our Western war.

These factors only partly explain the seeming discrepancy between efforts in the East and West. British officers are quick to admit that there are other factors which only can be defined as straightforward Russian superiority in the science of Winter warfare.

Patiently we have not been able to match the Russians' fierce purpose which is displayed in the daring of their tactics on higher levels and the sacrificial courage of the commonest footslogger.

BIRMINGHAM, England (CP)—During a writing lesson in school a nine-year-old boy wrote: "When we play after school we must never hang on the back of lorries." Next day he was killed while running beside a railway lorry.

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1	8.01	9.1	10.36	8.4	13.21	8.8	23.00	1.8
2	8.36	9.0	12.05	8.1	17.31	8.2	23.43	2.4
3	8.47	8.9						
4	0.16	3.2	8.59	8.9				
5	0.45	3.0	9.14	8.9				
6	1.00	4.1	9.34	8.8	17.44	5.3	21.39	3.6
7	0.35	3.4	8.54	8.8	17.57	4.8		
8			10.11	8.9	18.20	4.1		
9			10.30	9.0	18.46	3.4		
10			10.56	9.1	19.15	2.8		
11			11.21	9.4	19.45	1.9		
12			11.46	9.6	20.19	1.3		
13	6.29	8.6	7.45	8.5	12.15	9.7	20.53	0.9
14	6.48	8.7	8.18	8.6	12.46	9.9	21.34	0.7
15	7.10	8.7	9.27	8.4	13.25	9.6	22.17	0.9
16	7.35	8.7	10.21	8.1	14.10	9.2	23.05	1.4
17	7.44	8.6	11.21	7.9	15.19	8.5	23.38	2.1
18	7.24	8.7	12.26	6.9	16.51	7.8		
19	0.36	3.0	7.50	8.9	13.26	6.2	18.26	7.0
20	1.01	4.1	8.16	9.0	14.31	5.7	20.15	6.4
21	1.40	5.1	8.50	9.1	16.04	4.3		
22	0.12	6.3	2.00	6.2	9.25	9.4	17.05	3.8
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24					10.39	9.4	18.43	1.9
25	4.44	8.6	8.30	8.4	11.45	9.5	19.30	2.3
26	5.15	8.2	7.22	8.6	11.54	8.4	20.20	3.1
27	5.49	9.0	8.14	8.4	12.29	9.1	20.48	3.4
28	6.15	9.3	8.00	8.1	13.00	8.9	21.24	4.0
29	6.46	8.7	9.46	7.8	13.39	8.6	22.01	4.9
30	7.03	8.6	10.25	7.6	14.19	8.3	22.36	5.6
31	7.07	8.5	11.28	7.4	15.04	7.7	23.11	6.3

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt Drydock at any time, add 29.6 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Sunrise and Sunset

JANUARY

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1945.
(Add one hour for Pacific daylight time.)

Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set	Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set
1	8.06	4.25	17	8.00	4.48
2	8.07	4.30	18	7.59	4.50
3	8.08	4.31	19	7.58	4.52
4	8.08	4.32	20	7.57	4.53
5	8.08	4.33	21	7.56	4.54
6	8.08	4.34	22	7.55	4.56
7	8.08	4.35	23	7.53	4.57
8	8.08	4.36	24	7.52	4.59
9	8.08	4.38	25	7.51	5.01
10	8.08	4.39	26	7.51	5.02
11	8.07	4.40	27	7.50	5.04
12	8.07	4.42	28	7.49	5.06
13	8.07	4.43	29	7.48	5.07
14	8.07	4.44	30	7.46	5.09
15	8.01	4.46	31	7.45	5.10
16	8.01	4.47			

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights.

Observation Car

By G.B.

One good turn deserves another. One bad turn may change an automobile into a wreck . . . Japanese took Luzon in 1941 with 80 ships and 350 landing barges. United States troops returned with 800 ships, 2,500 barges and 900 amphibious vehicles . . . Nine vessels are used to carry Red Cross relief supplies, and last year 3,400 tons of food and medical necessities were handled on 22,742 cages. The International Red Cross sends 300,000 food parcels to prisoners in Germany every month . . . Roman numerals VIIII and IX were both used for nine until the 16th Century when printers popularized IX because it saved space . . . Apparently the Ministry of Food at London does not "go overboard" about vitamin pills. Officials recently stated: "A well-chosen diet will give a person all the vitamins he needs" . . . The United Church of Canada Commission on the Church, Nation and World Order prepared an interesting 80-page report last Summer. It stated in part: "If a government is justified in siphoning off surplus funds in an effort to avert inflation, it is equally incumbent upon the government in times of unemployment, but potential plenty to guard against deflation by creating new purchasing power." The report also referred to the present system of taxation as outmoded, and recommended revision with a view to avoiding "the frustration of personal effort, levying taxes according to real ability to pay, and preventing the accumulation of excessive economic power in too few hands" . . . Bill, the Broad Street barber, has a ready excuse for everything. Yesterday when he ambled to work 15 minutes late, he tried to explain to the boss that his wife had forgotten to wind the alarm clock. "You take your misfortune like a man. You blame it on your wife," the boss scoffed.

Western Front

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ground here, and the Germans chose to attack—from Haguenau westward to the Vosges—at a time when the Allies farther north were seizing the territory they need for the supreme assault on Germany from the West.

A front dispatch said the German assault had nowhere gained more than two miles.

One belief advanced here was that the Russians were able to make spectacular advances because the Germans had committed the bulk of their available armor to the Western Front.

On the northern edge of the Colmar pocket in Southern Alsace, the Germans lunged out against Ostheim, east of the River Ill—main north-south river barrier on the west side of the Rhine—five miles northeast of Colmar.

The French First Army, repulsing counter-attacks, scored limited gains, however, along the southern rim of the pocket.

Lt.-Gen. Dempsey's British Second Army had virtually wiped out the Sittard salient thrust into the Roland appendix north of Aachen and the Germans were in retreat to the Roer and the Siegfried Line.

British tanks and infantry were moving down the slopes of the Roer Valley with the river itself from a mile to one and a half miles beyond.

Thirty-one miles to the northeast lies the Rhineland industrial city of Dusseldorf and from 13 to 15 miles northeast—extreme heavy artillery range—were the smaller industrial cities of Gladbach and Odenkirchen.

Heaviest opposition to the British forces was to the northwest, where the Tommies were but two and a half miles southwest of the bastion of Roermond after seizing the village of Linne.

The smaller German panhandle had been entirely overrun where it juts into Holland, and British troops were 11 miles east of the German border after seizing Ueiterath, four and a half miles southeast of Heinsberg.

The Third Army pushed forward up to one and a half miles through hilly Northern Luxembourg, and had cut the main north-south road, known as "Skyline" Drive, between Diekirch and St. Vith, in at least two places.

The road runs from two to three miles west of the Our River, which forms the Luxembourg-German border.

Leaving Canada

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taken to prevent army personnel now absent without leave from quitting Canada."

Persons below or above the specified age limits will be asked to produce satisfactory evidence of their age.

The recent order states in part: "Any person attempting to leave Canada may be accosted by a peace officer, an immigration customs or excise officer, or any other person authorized by the Minister of National Revenue who may use such force as may be necessary to prevent such a person from leaving Canada, providing they do not show proper written permission to do so."

The order has no effect on females wishing to travel to the United States.

An official of the American Consulate here said yesterday his office had received no word on the order, nor could he say what effect it would have on American citizens residing in Canada.

"The matter rests entirely with the Canadian authorities," said Thomas F. Monaghan, officer in charge of United States Immigration here.

Previously men have had little difficulty securing permission to leave the country for vacations. After February 1 the situation will be changed considerably.

OTTAWA, Jan. 25 (CP)—Arthur MacNamara, director of Selective Service, said tonight that a general "tightening up" was being made in the requirement that men in call-able classes for military service show a written permit from their mobilization board before being allowed to leave the country.

Mr. MacNamara said it always has been the law that such men must show a mobilization board permit before leaving the country, but added that the regulation has not been enforced in the case of those crossing the border for short periods.

"However, we find now that some of our men eligible for call-up are appearing before United States induction boards, which indicates they have gone on the pretence of staying for a short period and have remained indefinitely," he added.

Such permits would be required by callable men for even short trips across the border.

Street Car Men

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them salary increases and other working adjustments. The strike ended last Thursday.

When the hearing opened here Tuesday company officials, in a brief to the Labor Board, opposed two of eight demands by the union—the six-cent basic wage increase and the signing of a two-year agreement beginning March 1, 1944.

The day of the strike, Mr. McGeough had conveyed to the union, with company and National War Labor Board approval, an offer of 5 1-2 cents an hour over-all increase—a cent more than the union membership had rejected by a vote of 1,889 to 150. The offer, however, was rejected and normal transportation was paralyzed in the three coast cities for 10 days.

Last Spring the Regional Board had granted the union membership a 4 1-2-cent an hour increase which the union appealed to the National Board, demanding instead increases from 12 1-2 to 29 1-2 cents an hour.

The 4 1-2-cent increase will raise the average hourly pay of workers from 75 to 94 1-2 cents an hour.

It is to be noted, Mr. McGeough said, that while the University and Victoria bus operators will get an extra 3 1-2-cent an hour increase, "that extra 3 1-2 cents does not come into effect until March 1." But, he added, the operators still benefit by the 4 1-2-cent basic increase for all employees as from March 1, 1944.

Fred Davison, president of the Victoria local, Street Railwaymen's Union, was in Vancouver last night, it was reported by local members. When he would return to Victoria was not known.

Asked his opinion on the wage increase of 4 1-2 cents per hour, one motorman said: "I don't think the fellows are going to like it very much."

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 26, 1920)

Recover Necklace—The proud Bourbon Orleans family has regained possession of a priceless pearl necklace which has descended from King Charles V, but which for some time has been in the possession of Viscountess de Termens. Criminal action was brought against the Viscountess, and Prince Alfonso has recovered his pearls.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 26, 1895)

The City—There has been no California mail in four days owing to the blockade of the roads by flood in the vicinity of Reading, California.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily British Colonist of January 26, 1876)

Launching—The Fairy Queen, pronounced the handsomest vessel yet built on the coast, was launched at Port Ludlow on Saturday.

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Polish Officer Lucky When Hundreds Died Around Him

LONDON, Jan. 25 (CP). — The Polish lieutenant frowned as he talked and his eyes were flittering and hard.

"I was one of the lucky ones," he said. And he told how hundreds died around him during four and one-half years in five big German concentration camps.

The name of this man cannot be told for his wife, son and mother still are somewhere in Poland, but he comes from a noble Polish family. I met him at the home of Victor Podoski, former Polish Minister to Canada, who now is in the Foreign Ministry of the Polish Government here.

Lieut. X was taken prisoner when Poland fell. Somehow he avoided the Gestapo who were torturing Poles without mercy to force out information but camp conditions were horrible enough. His weight dropped more than 60 pounds.

"I was strong and that is all that saved me," he said. "People were dying all around me from starvation and torture.

"When Hitler attacked Russia in 1941, there was a change right away in how all of us were treated. The Nazis finally decided they had to use their prisoners for the war. We were fed better and not mistreated anymore. Even Germans were punished for striking prisoners."

Lieut. X laughed when he told how little work was done by Polish prisoners.

"Personally I didn't try to get out because I feared what the Germans would do to my family," he said. "But finally a chance came.

"We were being marched eastward across France ahead of the advancing Allied armies. Two Spitfires saw us on the road and started to attack. Our guards jumped in the ditches and made us stay on the road.

"Some of us were killed but others walked across the fields to safety.

"I joined the Maquis and fought with them awhile, then got in touch with the Polish force fighting in France."

The War Today

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

A.P. War Analyst

In the light of the dark and incomplete picture of Germany's plight in the East, it is clear that opportunity is knocking for the United Nations Allies. The chance that organized resistance in Germany can be brought to an end within weeks instead of months cannot be ruled out by caution, nor is it possible that Allied Supreme Headquarters in the West is not straining every nerve to start rolling eastward to meet the Russian flood tide or at least aid its advance by pinning down German armies in the West.

Strasbourg, only Allied foothold on the German Rhine except near the Swiss border, lies now at the blunt apex of an Allied salient. A German trans-Rhine pincer attack threatens it closely from north and south.

To meet that threat the Seventh Army has been pulled back to shortened and more easily defended positions out of the tip of the former Karlsruhe corner. There is no indication that it has been reinforced in any considerable strength by American troops released from the Belgian bulge theatre.

That is a significant circumstance. It implies that Gen. Eisenhower was marshaling his forces elsewhere for major offensive operations even before the Russian steamroller started across Poland. He was prepared to give ground at need in the Rhine-Saar salient rather than be diverted from his offensive purposes somewhere else, presumably in the North, where British elimination of the enemy from the Roer-Maas triangle was paving the way for greater events.

From Europe

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Himmler and perhaps Rendulic, from Norway, are among them. The Nazis admit the Red Army may reach Danzig, but contend this will not mean collapse of East Prussian defences.

Blowing up of the great Tannenberg victory monument, where Hindenburg is buried, made a profound impression in Germany. Subconsciously it was interpreted that the high command has given up hope of retaining East Prussia. Refugees are pouring through Berlin in thousands. Nazi commentators reveal that millions of people already have been evacuated from the Rhineland.

Now more millions are coming from East Prussia and Silesia, where Germans have been wrecking the factories, towns and villages.

German soldiers, says The Times Moscow correspondent, have been captured whose job it was to toss grenades through the windows of German houses, for all the world as if they were in Russia.

Although he had already dismissed his Cabinet, headed by Premier Subasic, King Peter has sent for his ministers again and tried to reach a compromise over his refusal to agree to a pact signed between the Premier and Marshal Tito, providing for temporary Government of Yugoslavia. Discussions are continuing today.

There never was the prospect of the king finding a new Government more to his liking, says The Times' diplomatic correspondent. In any case it would not have been recognized by Britain or the Soviet Union.

Moreover, the Allies will insist on the Subasic pact with Marshal Tito being observed, so that it is only necessary to form a united Government.

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Of Lethbridge, Alta., who has won immediate award of the D.F.C. for his feat last December 29 of shooting down five enemy aircraft in five minutes' action over Osnabruck. The planes were the first he had ever downed. His score now stands at 11½ enemy planes.

Zone Council Seeks Action

Immediate rectification of what they termed "stupid and unjust" conditions in the discharge of service personnel in general, and R.C.A.F. discharges in particular, was sought by Victoria and District Zone Council of the Canadian Legion at a meeting in Naval Veterans' Branch clubrooms last night.

Under fire was the clothing allowance of $100 made to discharged air force personnel who are being asked to refund the amount when they are called up and accepted for army service. It was felt that such an injustice to men who had volunteered for service and needed the clothing allowance in the period between discharge from the R.C.A.F. and their army call-up.

Cases of two former R.C.A.F. members who had been honorably discharged and now wished to rehabilitate themselves were discussed. Formerly in the automotive business, and possessed of sufficient funds to set themselves up in business, the men were unable to do so because of lack of goods to sell. Government action to remedy situations of that kind was urged by the council.

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Head the Cast in Latest Tune Film



Michael O'Shea, Vivian Blaine, Phil Silvers and Carmen Miranda Make Up This Frolicsome Foursome in the New 20th Century-Fox Technicolor Hit Which Opens Today at the Dominion Theatre.

At the Theatres

Six New Songs In Dominion Hit

Michael O'Shea, Vivian Blaine, Phil Silvers and Carmen Miranda head the cast in the new 20th Century-Fox Technicolor musical hit, "Something for the Boys," which opens today at the Dominion Theatre. An outstanding hit on Broadway, the song and dance and laugh-packed hit revolves about the adventures (romantic and otherwise) of three cousins who find themselves joint heirs of a broken-down southern "mansion," and who in an effort to "do something for the boys" open its doors to army wives, and one of the most hilarious series of sequences filmed.

William Bendix At Oak Bay-Plaza

In "Abroad With Two Yanks," Edward Small's hilarious comedy hit, which will open today at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres, William Bendix, Hal Roach star, and Dennis O'Keefe and Helen Walker provide one answer to the question, what does a G.I. do when he is on ten days' leave?

The picture deals with the lighter side of war of tough marines who land in Australia on a well-earned furlough.

Allan Dwan directed this new United Artists release.

ATLAS THEATRE — "Irish Eyes Are Smiling," 20th Century-Fox Technicolor musical, starring Monty Woolley, June Haver and Dick Haymes, is now showing at the Atlas Theatre. In the gay and tuneful film, Monty Woolley plays the part of a fabulous man-about-town; June Haver is seen as a temperamental chorus girl, with Dick Haymes appearing as her composer-suitor.

CADET THEATRE — Charles Boyer, Ingrid Bergman and Joseph Cotten are starred in "Gaslight," the exciting story of a man who deliberately sets out to drive his wife insane to hide his own terrifying secret of the past. How a Scotland Yard man unearths the truth is the rousing climax of "Gaslight," which is now showing at the Cadet Theatre.

CAPITOL THEATRE — Joseph Szigeti, violin virtuoso, has a role in "Hollywood Canteen," now at the Capitol Theatre. Szigeti is ranked as one of the world's three greatest violinists. He keeps pace with Fritz Kreisler and Jasha Heifetz. Szigeti plays a solo selection in the course of the story.

YORK THEATRE — More than 150 gallons of water-color paint was used by Wally Westmore, Paramount makeup chief, and his aides in decorating the faces of some 200 "cannibals" for jungle scenes in "Road to Zanzibar," which is now showing at the York Theatre with Bing Crosby, Bob Hope and Dorothy Lamour in the starring roles.

Argentine Violinist At Royal Next Tuesday

Ricardo Odnoposoff, the astonishing young Argentinian violinist whose American debut at Carnegie Hall last season was a sensation in New York musical circles, will appear at the Royal Victoria on Tuesday, January 30, on the Hilker Attractions series, in the course of the first North American tour arranged for him by S. Hurok.

Born in Buenos Aires 26 years ago, Odnoposoff first stroked a bow across a violin bought him by his father at a bazaar at the age of four. At eight he was a pupil of the famous Carl Flesch in Berlin, and by the time he made his bow to North America last February the young artist had a concert career on two continents already behind him, with symphony orchestra guest appearances under the direction of such notable conductors as Arturo Toscanini, Bruno Walter, Felix Weingartner, Erich Kleiber and others.

Arriving in New York fresh from an arduous South American tour but one week before his momentous Carnegie Hall debut, Odnoposoff burst upon the knowing New York audience in thunderbolt fashion. Said The Times: Ricardo Odnoposoff scored a triumph at his first appearance in the United States yesterday afternoon in Carnegie Hall, where he immediately established himself as one of the outstanding violinists of the day."

Rochester Stars In Rio Musical

A most unusual musical film will open today at the Rio Theatre. It's "What's Buzzin', Cousin," and it's unusual, because it has a story with a well-rounded and interesting plot, and the players are just tops in their particular fields, performing with zest and gay abandon against a background rich in colorful atmosphere.

Whirlwind Ann Miller, quite the loveliest and zippiest tap dancer of this generation, is featured in company with Rochester, that droll fellow, and Freddy Martin with his rhythmic swing band. John Hubbard, as the band's singer, plays the romantic lead opposite Miss Miller, thus completing a perfect foursome embracing dancing, music, laughter and love.

Art Centre Plan Discussed Here

A resolution that immediate steps be taken to open a community art centre here was passed last night by 150 representative citizens during a meeting at the Empress Hotel. The gathering was called by Major L. Bullock-Webster, president of the Provincial Drama Association. As chairman, he explained the proposed centre should include all art of Vancouver Island.

Hon. Mark Kearley was named chairman of a ways and means committee to bring together officers of all Island cultural groups.

Amusements

ON THE SCREEN

Atlas—"Irish Eyes Are Smiling," starring Monty Woolley and June Haver.

Cadet — "Gaslight," starring Ingrid Bergman and Charles Boyer.

Capitol—"Hollywood Canteen" with an all-star cast.

Dominion — Michael O'Shea and Carmen Miranda in "Something for the Boys."

Oak Bay and Plaza—William Bendix in "Abroad With Two Yanks."

Rio—Rochester and Ann Miller in "What's Buzzin' Cousin."

York—Bing Crosby and Bob Hope in "Road to Zanzibar."

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DEVISES, England (CP). — Wiltshire County Council have become pioneers in adult education by adopting a £67,000 (about $300,000) scheme for the purchase of Urchfront Manor near here for use as a college for adults of all types and occupations.

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Social and Personal

Mrs. K. G. Tatlow, who has been residing in Victoria for the Winter, is spending some time in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McHattie, Vancouver, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Farris, Port Alberni, are visiting Victoria, guests at the Empress Hotel.

Saskatoon visitors to the Empress Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Peterkin.

Mrs. A. W. Hunt and daughter, of Winnipeg, are visiting Victoria, and staying at the Empress Hotel.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward left Thursday evening for Vancouver.

Vancouver guests registered at the Empress Hotel include Mrs. J. H. Wallace, Mrs. R. Ellwood, Mrs. L. A. Grundy, Mrs. Rita W. Myers and Mrs. R. C. J. DeSatge.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Monce, Sidney, and their daughter Miss Margaret Monce, were guests at the Hopkins-LeVack wedding last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Finnigan and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wright, Hamilton, Ont., are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Herger, all of Vancouver, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. R. W. Ferguson, Vancouver, with her twin daughters, will leave shortly for Brentwood, V.I., to join Flt. Lt. Ferguson.

F.O. D. E. C. Charlwood, R.A.A.F., and Mrs. Charlwood, who have been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. East, 2254 Beach Drive, left by boat for Seattle recently, en route to their future home in Melbourne, Australia. F.O. Charlwood has recently returned from overseas after completing a tour of operational flights for the Royal Australian Air Force.

Sorority Plans Spring Musicale

Under the chairmanship of the war effort committee, Canadian chapters of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority have undertaken to assist in financing the blood transfusion service of the Canadian Red Cross, and already over $600 has been contributed to this cause. At the regular meeting of Victoria Zeta Chapter further plans for the Spring musicale were made. Mrs. T. H. Johns, chapter sponsor, will arrange the program, which will be held in the Empress Hotel.

A novel "gift box" arranged by Mrs. Janet Wilson, netted the sum of $4 towards the war effort. Mrs. Maude Hammond, director, was honored on the occasion of her birthday when President Miss Frances Law presented her with a vase and flowers with the good wishes of the chapter. A sewing bee will be held January 31 at the home of Mrs. N. Phillips, 2598 Cook Street, to prepare clothing for British Bundles. Exemplar candidates will hold their first meeting at the home of Miss Barbara Dawson on the afternoon of February 4.

The cultural program on literature was conducted by the program convener, Miss Dawson, with the assistance of Mrs. Jean Levis, and Miss Frances Law, who presented short book reviews; Miss Edna Middleton, who defined various forms of literature, and Mrs. Maude Hammond, who spoke of the benefits of reading.

Zeta Chapter recently visited the Protestant Orphanage, where the annual children's party was held, when games and singing were conducted by Mrs. Esther Restall and Miss Helen McKinnon. Refreshments and ice cream, served by Miss Helen Porter and the social committee, were enjoyed by the children.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cook, "Holly Lodge," Kisber Avenue, R.R. 4, Victoria, announce the engagement of their second daughter, Elizabeth Margaret, to Lieutenant-Commander Bernard White, R.N.V.R., son of the late Mr. G. White and Mrs. White, "Tunim," Epsom Road, Ewell, Surrey, England. The wedding will take place this month in England.

Announcements to appear under this heading will be accepted at The Colonist Advertising Department. Minimum charge $1.50 for 30 lines, and 15c for each additional line.

Sir H. Robinson Is Honorary President

Sir Heaton Robinson was elected honorary president of the Belmont Unit, Canadian Red Cross Society, at the annual meeting held recently in the Women's Institute Hall, Langford, when all members of the executive committee were unanimously re-elected.

Officers elected were: Mr. G. A. Turner, president; Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen, vice-president; Mrs. P. N. Welch, secretary; Mrs. W. E. Stevenson, treasurer; Langford committee, Mrs. T. Millward, Mrs. G. R. Kelly, Mrs. Bedard, Mr. D. B. F. Bullen and Mr. J. C. Nimmo; Colwood, Lady Robinson, Mrs. B. W. Parker, Mrs. A. Forbes Calland, Commander K. G. B. Ketchum, Rev. G. H. Greenhalgh and Mr. J. W. Little; Happy Valley, Mrs. J. Trace, Mrs. H. A. Baxter, Mrs. C. O. Bodman, Mr. S. Hutchison and Mr. F. J. Willway. Rev. G. H. Greenhalgh presided.

The treasurer's report showed that the sum of $1,659 had been turned over to the Canadian Red Cross Society, $551 from the Royal Roads garden fete and $1,028 from the Red Cross drive. Work convener, Mrs. D. Bullen, reported 48 knitted articles and 19 quilts had been made by the Langford W.I. The president thanked the workers for their co-operation during the past year. Mrs. Ross Palmer showed moving pictures of Ecuador, Canadian handicrafts and some comics, all in Technicolor.

Weddings

HOPKINS—LeVACK

The marriage of Audrey, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney LeVack, 3217 Shelbourne Street, to Cpl. Donald B. Hopkins, R.C.A.F., only son of Mr. D. B. Hopkins and the late Mrs. Hopkins, Coaticook, Quebec, was solemnized last evening, January 25, at 8:15 o'clock at St. John's Church with Rev. George Biddle officiating. Given in marriage by her father, the bride looked charming in an afternoon dress of rose wool crepe worn with contrasting shoulder length veil caught to her head with rosebuds. She carried an arm bouquet of roses and carnations centred with orchids. Mr. C. C. Monce, an old family friend, escorted the bride to the chancel rail. The bridesmaid, Miss Kay Alexander, wore a turquoise crepe frock with veil to her shoulders caught to the temples with clusters of flowers. An arm bouquet of pink roses and carnations completed her ensemble. Sergt. A. W. Huggett, R.C.A., was best man. The wedding music was played by Mr. Thomas Jenkins.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. For a honeymoon to be spent in Vancouver and Banff, the bride donned a tobacco brown coat over her wedding costume with brown accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink orchids. Cpl. and Mrs. Hopkins will reside at Red Deer, Alberta, where the bridegroom is stationed with the R.C.A.F.

Touch of Sequins on Bright Feather Motif



A GOOD illustration of the widely-spaced prints that make many of the smartest Spring dresses is this dark print by a New York designer, which you can wear now under your fur coat, and later without a coat. "It may well be the backbone of your Summer afternoon wardrobe. The bright feather motif is printed on a black background, and a little bow of the print is tied just under one shoulder over the sequin-touched bodice sprays. The skirt is draped to one side, in the manner of many of the Spring dresses. The sleeves are short, but not so extremely short as to make the dress impractical for wear without a coat if you add long gloves.

Energetic P.-T.A. To Expend $900

A scholarship open to Grade 12 students who plan to continue their education, financial assistance to creative art work, a radio for McTavish Road School, rhythm band instruments for the three supplementary schools and creation of a motion picture fund are included in plans of the active North Saanich Parent-Teacher Association for the near future.

Last week the executive met to discuss a program involving expenditures of $900 which was approved by the association at its last monthly meeting. Mr. Tom Jones, treasurer, reported final payment of $120 had been made on folding chairs, $15 will be given Mrs. R. Beswick to purchase music folios, and $10 set aside for Gesteltner supplies.

Mr. A. E. Voger, Miss K. Baker and Mr. A. Sansbury will draw up regulations to govern the annual scholarship, which has been fixed at $50 for this year. Mrs. Wrench, Mrs. Anstey and Mrs. Wardle will attend to rhythm band supplies and material for creative art work. They have been allowed $60. Mrs. P. Brethour has undertaken to obtain routine supplies. D. E. Breckenridge will shop for a radio.

The sum of $350 will be set aside for a motion picture projector fund and there will be sufficient funds for May Day sports, it was reported.

Card parties will be held twice monthly.

Y.M.C.A. PLANS DANCE

Plans for a series of Saturday night dances at the Y.M.C.A. were made at a recent meeting of the new Y.M.C.A. dance committee and proposals for improvements were discussed. Officers elected were: chairman, Tom Hart; vice-chairman, Margaret McMeekin; secretary, Betty Garnes; treasurer, Betty Leonhart. Next meeting will be held Monday, 7.30, at the Y.M.C.A.

Holds Twenty-First Birthday Social

Five of the original members were present for the coming of age party of the Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute. They were: Mrs. J. Trace, Mrs. H. A. Baxter, Mrs. A. Hankin, Mrs. R. Oliver and Mrs. T. Madder. The 21st birthday celebrations were held in the Luxton Hall, when members and their husbands enjoyed a sitdown supper. The president, Mrs. L. Willing, welcomed the guests and honored at the party were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Silman, who will celebrate their golden wedding shortly. H. A. Bailey proposed the toast to the Institute after which the birthday cake, with its 21 candles, was cut.

Solos were rendered by Mrs. C. Hobbis, accompanied by Miss L. Eastman, followed by a sing-song. Charades, convened by Mesdames D. Morgan, C. A. Ramsfield and A. Foley, and a hat-trimming contest arranged by Mrs. J. Trace, concluded the program.

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Victoria Red Cross Reports Highest Record for Past Year

"Our province stands second to none in the Dominion of Canada in our Red Cross work, and we have gone over the top 150 per cent in every line of endeavor," Hon. E. W. Hamber, president of the British Columbia branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society, said yesterday at the annual meeting of the Victoria and District Branch, held in Government Street workrooms.

Accomplishments of the province were magnificent, he said, and would be revealed fully when the annual meeting was held.

W. Morton Paterson was re-elected president of the Victoria branch of the Red Cross and all other officers were returned to the offices they held during the past year. Mr. H. I. Campbell was also nominated to the executive.

There were some 100 branches in the province, Mr. Hamber stated, and co-operating in every way they had accomplished an astounding amount. After the last war the Canadian Red Cross had become a nonentity, but this time they should not give up their work.

"There are many nations today that require all the resources the Red Cross can give them, and they will need help for many years to come," he assured the 112 members who attended the meeting.

Lieut.-Col. C. A. Scott, provincial commissioner, praised the initiative of the Victoria branch in organizing the Home Emergency Service, first of its kind west of Ontario. "I feel it will be very active," he commented.

Telling of work of the Red Cross overseas, he said that after Dieppe, "capture parcels" had been sent immediately to the 1,783 men captured by the enemy. Over $28,000,000 had been spent on parcels for prisoners of war, on a ratio of $2.75 per parcel.

Illustrating the tremendous work entailed, he said 140,000 parcels were dispatched weekly, of which 32,000 were entirely paid for by Canada. Britain paid for a large proportion of the remainder, but funds were delayed almost a year and Canadian Red Cross stood the interim cost. Australia, New Zealand and other Allied countries paid their share in like manner.

Our responsibility is greater because of impending victory," Colonel Scott warned. "Every square mile reconquered brings added responsibility to the people at home. Already there are 17 million women, children and men too old to work who must be looked after."

Speeches by the two provincial officers concluded a meeting during which the imposing story of Victoria's 1944 accomplishments was told through reports of the various groups working under the central executive.

RAISE $188,918 DURING PAST YEAR

An increase of $15,637.02 brought year's receipts of the Victoria and District Branch of the Red Cross to $188,918, Mr. J. Q. Gillan, honorary treasurer, reported. Operating expenses totaled $9,060.23.

Home Emergency Service, a new function undertaken by the branch last May had added $2,000 to the costs which were otherwise less than in 1943.

Mr. H. W. Walker, honorary secretary, reported on general work of the society and complimented the Junior Branch for their zeal.

Home Emergency Service was proving a success in filling a pressing human need, Dr. Richard Felton stated in his report. Sent into the home because of some emergency condition these housekeepers care for children, cook and supervise the household. It is the only service of its kind west of Ontario, he stated.

Canadian Red Cross Corps has given regular service, to the community in many ways, Mrs. W. Hobart Molson stated in her annual report. The three most important are, operation of the Red Cross Mobile Canteen, providing personnel for the Red Cross-Canadian Legion Welcome Bureau and training V.A.D.'s. Mrs. Molson gave credit to the St. John Ambulance Association for help in first aid and stretcher-bearing courses.

SHIP 62,359 ARTICLES OVERSEAS

During the past year, members have shipped 62,359 articles from the workroom; 588 surgical supplies to local hospitals, 346 to the dockyard and 65 articles for next of kin parcels, Miss Honor Nash, convener of the women's war work committee, reported.

Another important phase of their work had been the making and shipping of 10,429 garments for civilians of reconquered Europe, and 25,469 articles for the surgical needs have also been shipped. Knitted articles reached the large figure of 11,135. The hospital department made 15,326 articles.

Junior Red Cross in Victoria had not reached the high level established in previous years, Lady Lake reported, because of shortage of materials, but nevertheless 3,239 articles had been received. Two city high schools had raised over $1,600 at fairs held during 1944.

Mr. F. W. Jones, oldest member of the local Red Cross Branch, told of the splendid work being done at the workshop, where disabled men earned $7,750.35 in 1944 and articles to the value of $14,499.43 were sold. The business showed an increase of more than $2,000 over 1943.

Mr. Jones was first provincial president of the Red Cross in 1915 when the unit was established.

Reporting on work done for the prisoners of war by the next of kin committee, Mrs. L. W. Miller said a large quantity of groceries and woolens had been distributed. Mr. Cawley reported on superfluities; Mr. W. P. Pemberton on the disaster fund; Mrs. A. J. A. Bell on the jam kitchen, which made a total of 10,328 pounds of jam; Mrs. Alex Straith on the nutrition and home nursing committees; Mrs. J. W. Spencer on the welcome bureau and hospital visiting, and Mr. C. F. Moriarty on publicity. All war brides, Mrs. Spencer pointed out, are in charge of the Red Cross from the time they leave England till safely arrived in their new home.

Mr. R. T. Stack moved the vote of thanks to the Victoria press.

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Societies

Women's Auxiliary to P.P.C.L.I. will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the Y.W.C.A.

Regular meeting of the W.A. to the Navy League of Canada will be held on Friday at 2:30 in the Y.W.C.A. rooms.

Annual meeting of V.O.N. will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the Y.W.C.A.

The fortnightly bridge party was held Tuesday in the Community Hall dining-room, under the auspices of the Burnside Community Association. First prizes were awarded Mrs. Kennedy, Otter Point, and Mr. George Duncan, Jr.

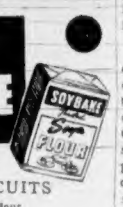
Evening Branch, St. Saviour's W.A., held an enjoyable social recently at the home of Mrs. M. Pattison, Pine Street. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. K. Clement and Mrs. A. Spedding. Winners of the games and contests were: Mrs. L. Roach, Mrs. M. Pentland, Mrs. B. Smith and Mrs. N. Augustine. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Women's Progressive Conservative Association met Thursday evening at headquarters, Fort Street. Mrs. C. H. Smith, president, spoke to the members on the actions of the provincial executive, which met recently in Vancouver. Mr. MacDonnell will address the members Monday evening at 8 o'clock at headquarters. Members stood in silent tribute for the late president, Mr. G. H. Bevan-Pritchard.

Luxton Community Club has chosen the following officers for 1945: President, Mr. F. J. Willway; vice-president, Mr. H. A. Bailey; secretary, Miss Helen Silman. Committee to arrange the February meeting, which will be held on the sixteenth of the month, includes Mrs. A. W. Silman, Mr. F. E. Artlett and Mr. W. P. Hobbis. Mr. A. L. Lincoln and Mrs. D. Flatman, retiring president and secretary, respectively, gave reports for last year. Rehearsals are now in progress for a play, which the club will sponsor. There has been a steady increase in membership in the past year.



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½ cup SOYBAKE flour
1¾ cups all-purpose flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons fat
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Y.P. Organizations

The regular weekly meeting of the Christ Church Cathedral A.Y.P.A. was opened with prayers led by Rev. Mr. Askew and a reading by Audrey Harness from the book "Good News." Members of St. John's A.Y.P.A. were guests and a quiz contest was held under the title of "Dr. I.Q." Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. The casting for the play, "Plain Jane," will take place this Sunday at 2:30 p.m. in the Memorial Hall, and a meeting for Group Three will follow at 4 p.m. Members are asked to attend the annual vestry meeting of the Christ Church Cathedral to be held January 30. Badminton is played every Friday in the Memorial Hall at 8 p.m. A social hour is held in the Memorial Hall every Sunday after Evensong for all young people.

Rev. George Biddle spoke at a recent meeting of St. John's A.Y.P.A. on the subject of brotherhood and the importance of understanding and carrying out the real meaning of Christianity. Margery Symonds presided and Norma Balfour led in prayer. Jim Dimlock was introduced. There will be a pre-Lenten social on Friday, February 16, in Memorial Hall, and during Lent lectures will be held there every Sunday afternoon. Wednesday the group was entertained by Christ Church Cathedral A.Y.P. and competed in an interesting "Dr. I.Q." program. Next week an educational film entitled "Our Northern Neighbor" will be shown and a discussion will follow.

Recipes of The Week

Butter, the family moans, is conspicuous in absentia these days. And the harassed cook must better her best if she will please them. Making sandwiches for school children doesn't help. But there are a few ways to stretch the slim ration, and there are recipes for palatable dishes which do not require butter.

Drippings from roasts add grand flavor to sauces for scalloped dishes, stuffings and so on, and they help stretch the weekly allowance of butter.

Tasty for lunch-boxes and for bedtime snacks (if digestion permits such luxury) this peanut butter bread can be eaten without butter.

PEANUT BUTTER BREAD—A BUTTER SAVER

Two cups Canada Approved flour.
One teaspoon salt.
One and a quarter cups milk.
Three teaspoons baking powder.
One-half cup sugar.
Two-thirds cup peanut butter.

Sift flour, measure and sift again with the remaining dry ingredients. Blend together the milk and peanut butter. Add dry ingredients and mix thoroughly. Place in a greased loaf pan and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.), for 45 to 50 minutes.

And for a dessert with a party look there are the dainty little almond meringue circles. Popular with connoisseurs of Swedish food they are cheaply and easily made.

SWEDISH ALMOND MERINGUES

Two egg whites.
One cup powdered sugar.
Six ounces blanched almonds.
One and a half teaspoons lemon juice.

The whites, sugar and lemon juice are combined (vanilla can be used) in a mixing bowl and beaten until stiff, when the almonds are folded lightly in. The mixture is shaped with two spoons in small mounds on a greased baking sheet (use margarine for this). Then the meringues are baked in a slow oven about 25 minutes or until light brown, firm outside and soft on the inside. The oven temperature is important, and the mixture must be quite stiff before adding the nuts.

And the almonds should be thoroughly dry before using which means they should be flaked the day before they are to be used and left to dry overnight. A little care and you can concoct the very finest of delicate desserts. Makes about ten.

SWEDISH CRULLERS

Also butterless and very good. Beat one egg, three egg whites and one-quarter cup of sugar until just smooth—and no longer! Now add the grated rind of half a lemon and a little more than three-quarters of a cup of sifted flour. Stir until smooth. Heat cooking fat in a deep kettle to the proper temperature for doughnuts. Pour the batter into a funnel (one of stiff paper will do) and force the batter into the hot fat in a stream to give a lacy effect.

The cruller tends to spread out towards the sides of the kettle, so only one can be fried at a time. Turn it to brown on both sides; it takes only a minute or so. Lift out carefully and drain. Lay over a rolling pin to give the professional crescent shape, dust lightly with powdered sugar and a little cinnamon just before serving.

Sounds a bit complicated but one step at a time does it, and the taste is sufficient reward.

NEW ORLEANS CALA

This is something unusual, something that will be a favorite once your family has had a taste some Sunday morning when "bacon and eggs" have lost their appeal.

To make about 20 calas, one-half cup of rice is cooked until soft in three cups of boiling, salted water. Then is is drained and mashed and let cool to lukewarm. Half a yeast cake is softened in one-half cup warm water and added to the rice, being thoroughly beaten in, and then the mixture is allowed to rise overnight.

In the morning three well beaten eggs, one-third cup sugar, a dash of salt and just a bit of nutmeg are added, together with one-quarter cup sifted flour. These are all beaten well and then the mixture is set to rise for 20 minutes in a warm place. When ready, it is dropped by spoonfuls into hot deep fat (about 360 degrees) and fried to a golden brown, before being drained on absorbent paper and served hot, wrapped in paper or a napkin. The calas may be sprinkled with confectioner's sugar if you like. Their delicate texture and flavor are irresistible with or without that embellishment.

They are so quickly made in the morning after the previous preparation the night before, that they make an ideal Sunday morning treat in any household.

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FIRST C.W.A.C. RETURNS

OTTAWA, Jan. 25 (CP)—Lt.-Col. Alice Sorby, of Winnipeg, deputy director of the Canadian Women's Army Corps Overseas, will return to Canada for exchange duty with Lt.-Col. Isabel Cronyn, of Toronto, deputy director of C.W.A.C. Ottawa Defence Headquarters announced today.

First Canadian woman soldier to arrive in Britain, Lt.-Col. Corbi has been stationed at Canadian military headquarters, London, since August, 1942. Her husband, Maj. Walter O. Sorby, is serving with the Canadian army overseas.

Elizabeth Drewery



Elizabeth Drewery, dancer from Derbyshire, England, who flew the Atlantic to Canada as a stowaway on a bomber in 1943, has now been taken from a Russian ship where she had stowed away bound for Russia, immigration authorities at Seattle disclosed. She was in Victoria this week on her way to Vancouver and her English home, where she hopes to write a book on her experiences. Miss Drewery's one ambition for the past three years has been to fly, and she succeeded in learning while in the United States. But not one of the Allied Nations has yet given this intrepid young woman the right to fly for the Allied cause.

Beatrice Fairfax

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LONG DISTANCE LOVE AFFAIR

Dear Miss Fairfax:

A year ago I was sent home as a disabled veteran. However, I've become perfectly well and would be glad to get back into combat.

Meanwhile, I have a job in a Government department in Washington, and have fallen hopelessly in love with a girl who doesn't know I'm here. I hear she's engaged to an officer overseas. When I speak to her, her replies are entirely professional, yet I would like to ask her to go out to dine and dance with me, but haven't the courage. Perhaps if I really knew her I could overcome this fascination.

Hopeless.

Summon a little of what courage you had when you were in combat duty overseas, and which inspires you to again enlist. Warm up your acquaintance with the girl by making more occasions to speak with her on office business, and then ask her if she'd care about going out to dine and dance. Tell her you know he fiance is overseas. If she's the right type of girl, she'll be loyal to her fiance. Meanwhile, if you know her better, she may seem more human to you and not the goddess you think she is.

REGRETS JEALOUS RAGE AT FIANCE

Dear Miss Fairfax:

I'm so downhearted. I was engaged to a young man and we were very happy. I was wearing his ring. Then one day I saw him in the restaurant eating lunch with another girl. I flew into a jealous rage, couldn't control myself and said something insulting to both of them, and that night returned his ring. He accepted it without a word. I still love him and offered to make up but he'll have nothing to do with me. What can I do to make him reconciled? Despairing.

I'm terribly sorry, but I'm afraid unless the young man relents nothing can be done. Your flying into a jealous rage opened up terrifying prospects of what life with such a wife would be. The girl he was lunching with may have been a relative, or someone with whom he had every reason to have lunch. I'm afraid there isn't anything you can do but charge this up to experience.

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Nanaimo Unit Raises $10,640

NANAIMO, Jan. 25.—Nanaimo branch of the Canadian Red Cross in annual meeting tonight elected Hon. George Pearson and Mayor George Muir (Nanaimo), honorary patrons. George Benwell was re-elected president; first vice-president, Mrs. S. Dyde; second vice-president, Mrs. R. Forester; third vice-president, Mr. J. C. Buckle; secretary, Mr. F. A. Norcross; treasurer, A. E. Heighton; auditor, Robert Coveny. An executive of 15 members were named, and five delegates appointed to attend the provincial conference at Vancouver, February 22 and 23.

A report of the campaign committee showed that the sum of $10,642.89 had been raised here during the year. Mr. P. S. McKerguw, first vice-president of British Columbia Division of the Canadian Red Cross from Vancouver, addressed the meeting and highly complimented the local branch, telling them that they are considered "one of the little jewels in our crown" when work of the order was in progress. During the past year the Red Cross has, he said, shipped from Canada 12,000,000 parcels at a cost of $30,000,000. There are six shipping plants in Canada from which 500,000 parcels per month go out. Each parcel contains six pounds of food.

Discuss Estimates

Preliminary consideration of estimates, which are to be brought in at a special meeting of the board on February 8, occupied attention of the Esquimalt School Board last night. Authority was given to S. Pomeroy, secretary, to order stationery and small supplies at once.

January reports were received from C. A. Kelly, principal of Esquimalt High School; S. Creelman, principal of Lampson Street School, and Miss M. E. Morrison, school nurse.

A letter from the municipal council stating that in future school enrollment figures would be included in school estimates, was received.

It was decided to have pupils in Grades 10, 11 and 12 examined for tuberculosis by the mobile X-ray unit.

Purchase of ten desks for the elementary school was authorized, and outstanding accounts were ordered paid.

It was decided to hold all regular meetings on the fourth Thursday of each month.

Problems of Quebec

Jean-Charles Harvey, director and editor of Le Jour, Montreal, will address the Canadian Club on "Problems of Quebec" during a luncheon meeting in the Empress Hotel at 12:15 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon.

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Canada's Honor Roll

British Columbia casualties are given in the casualty lists as follows:

Navy

OTTAWA, Jan. 25 (CP).—The final chapter in the sinking of the Canadian destroyer Athabaskan was written into the record tonight with a navy announcement that 10 officers and 115 ratings missing since the warship was split in two by a Nazi torpedo last April 29 now are presumed dead as of that date.

It was in the haze of a starlit night that the powerful 1,900-ton destroyer, one of the new Tribal Class, went down while on pre-invasion manœuvres in the English Channel with her sister ship, the Haida. As she sank, she continued firing at two German destroyers with which she and the Haida had been battling.

Forty-six of the Athabaskan crew were rescued by the Haida, which exacted swift revenge for the sinking of her sister ship by driving one of the Nazi destroyers ashore in flames, and the Germans later announced they had taken 85 men prisoner. Five of these were liberated when the Allies invaded France.

Those now presumed dead include the Athabaskan's skipper, Lieut.-Cmdr. J. H. Stubbs, D.S.O., of Victoria.

The list names the following British Columbia casualties:

OFFICERS

Previously Reported Missing, Now Presumed Dead as of April 29, 1944—Izard, Theodore Douglas, Lieut., Mrs. Pamela Marie Izard (wife), 860 Arundel Drive, Victoria; Stubbs, John Hamilton, Lieut.-Cmdr., D.S.O., D.S.C., Mrs. Ruth Stubbs (wife), c/o Flag Officer, Newfoundland Force, St. John's, Nfld.

RATINGS

Previously Reported Missing, Now Presumed Dead as of April 29, 1944—Cookman, Edgar Anthony, Leading Seaman, Mrs. Amy Cookman (mother), 812 Wollaston Street, Esquimalt; Goldsmith, Thomas Henry Hardy, Chief Yeoman of Signals, Mrs. Amy F. Goldsmith (wife), 2543 Government Street, Victoria; Kobes, John Robert, Leading Seaman, Mrs. Joyce L. Kobes (wife), 605 Alpha Street, Victoria; Lea, Eric Edward, Stoker 1st Class, Mrs. Edith M. Lea (mother), 2560 Dalhousie Street, Victoria; Metcalfe, Donald Irving, Electrical Artificer 3rd Class, Vancouver; Mills, Ernest George, Chief Engine-Room Artificer, Mrs. Agnes A. Mills (wife), 1630 McRae Avenue, Saanich; McGregor, William, Leading Stoker, Mrs. Mary J. G. McGregor (wife), 2329 Howard Street, Victoria; McLean, Daniel Haddow, Able Seaman, Vancouver; Rennie, John Ernest, Chief Petty Officer, Kelowna; Sweet, Charles Edwin, Chief Petty Officer, Mrs. Elsie E. Sweet (wife), 1335 Stanley Avenue, Victoria.

Army

OTTAWA.—The Canadian Army in its 580th list names the following British Columbia casualties:

OVERSEAS—OFFICERS

DIED

British Columbia Regiment—Halley, Paul Valdimir, Capt., Vancouver.

SLIGHTLY WOUNDED

British Columbia Regiment—Engelhardt, Norman Thain, Lieut., Walter Engelhardt (father), 924 McClure Street, Victoria.

SLIGHTLY INJURED

Canadian Armored Corps—Grahame, Gordon Rowland Waldank, Lieut., Vernon.

WARRANT OFFICERS, N.C.O.'S AND MEN

KILLED IN ACTION

Alberta Regiment—Rentz, Ralph, Pte., Creston.

DIED OF INJURIES

R.C.A.S.C.—Ferguson, Howard Frank, Pte., Ioco.

DIED

British Columbia Regiment—Miller, John L., Cpl., Quesnel.

SEVERELY WOUNDED

Royal Canadian Artillery—Bailey, Cyril George, Sgt., Vancouver.

British Columbia Regiment—Waltham, Jack Charles, Cpl., Penticton.

WOUNDED

British Columbia Regiment—Moffat, Harry Alexander, Pte., Alexandria.

SLIGHTLY WOUNDED

British Columbia Regiment—Murphy, Verdun Albert, Cpl., Vancouver; Richmond, Geoffrey Keith, Sgt., New Westminster.

SLIGHTLY INJURED

Royal Canadian Artillery—Byrne, Peter, L.-Bdr., Port Alberni.

R.C.A.F.

OTTAWA.—The R.C.A.F. in its 1,100th list names the following British Columbia casualties:

OVERSEAS

Missing on Active Service After Air Operations—Deatherage, George Edward, F.O., Mrs. G. E. Deatherage (wife), 713 Market Street, Victoria; Kurtzhals, Allan Edward, W.O., Vancouver; Olafson, Gordon William, F.-Sgt., Steveston.

Previously Missing on Active Service, Now for Official Purposes Presumed Dead—Beauregard, Charles Marie, P.O., Salmon Valley; Dunnett, Harry Norman, W.O., Mr. H. N. Dunnett (father), 2860 Colquitz Avenue, Victoria; Langrish, [illegible] P.O., Mr. Harold Langrish (father), Victoria; Menzies, Howard John, P.O., Vancouver; Morritt, John Beswick, P.O., Vancouver; Vernon, Stanley James, P.O., Vancouver.

The complete lists, containing the names of casualties in other provinces, are on file at the editorial rooms of The Daily Colonist, where they may be seen upon request.

Looting Charged

HALIFAX, Jan. 25 (CP).—Inspector D. A. MacKinnon, of the R.C.M.P. customs preventive service, today confirmed reports of looting of the $2,500,000 cargo of the United States Liberty ship which ran aground recently near Lobster Claw Ledge outside Halifax Harbor.

He said about 30 private automobiles containing goods from the wreck have been stopped by constables on roads leading into Halifax during the last four days. No arrests have yet been made, the inspector said, but the investigation is continuing. The goods seized comprised food and tobacco.

Navy Minister at Canadian Hospital

LONDON, Jan. 25 (CP).—Navy Minister Macdonald and Vice-Admiral C. G. Jones, Chief of the Canadian Naval Staff, yesterday visited Canadian patients in Basingstoke Neurological and Plastic Surgery Hospital.

Among those with whom the Minister chatted were Lieut. Thudean Spencer, of Vancouver, an occupational therapist on the staff, and Flt. Lt. Hart Massey, son of the Canadian High Commissioner to Britain, who recently was wounded on duty at an advanced R.C.A.F. base in the Low Countries.

Pascal, when 19 years old in 1650, invented a calculating machine.

Waiter Injured on Board Ferry Ship

VANCOUVER, Jan. 25 (CP).—William Jardine, severely injured early today in an accident aboard the Ss. Princess Mary, now is in hospital here and his condition is reported as "good." Jardine, a waiter aboard the Mary, suffered severe hemorrhages after he fell and cut his arm.

An R.C.A.F. medical officer, Flt. Lt. J. F. Mugan, was rushed by crashboat to the ship as she lay off Bowen Island. It is believed that the first aid rendered by the R.C.A.F. [illegible]

MAIL AND SHIPS

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily at 1:30 p.m. for Vancouver; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily at 3:45 p.m. from Vancouver; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily at midnight for Vancouver; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will arrive at Victoria daily at 7 a.m. from Vancouver. Sundays only a special sailing will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver at 9:45 p.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4:30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 12:35 p.m.; Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9:45 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 8:45 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES — Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria for Port Angeles daily at 9:45 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8:45 a.m.

SWARTZ BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay for Fulford Harbor daily except Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday at 8:15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m.; 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 [illegible] Brentwood at 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily, except Saturdays and Sundays, at 7:30 a.m., 2:45 p.m. and 9:15 p.m. Sundays only at 6:45 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, for Vancouver, via Gulf Islands; Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria, via Gulf Islands, at 6:30 p.m. Mondays.

NANAIMO - GABRIOLA — Ms. Atrevida will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo, daily (except Wednesday) at 8:30 a.m. for Gabriola.

U.S. Troopship Sunk With 248 Killed and 517 Missing

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 (AP).—The sinking by enemy action in European waters of a troopship carrying United States Army personnel, of whom 248 were killed and 517 are listed as missing—was announced today.

War Secretary Stimson made the announcement at his news conference.

The remainder of the troops [illegible] Mr. Stimson said.

He gave no details.

Mr. Stimson, at the same time, disclosed that army casualties since the United States entered the war have reached 616,951. Coupled with a Navy total of 84,999, the aggregate for the armed forces now is 701,950.

This total represents an increase of 38,091 since last week's report. The Navy accounted for 1,635 of the increase and the Army for the remainder.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are advised that the gas and whistling buoy, No. 2258.31, at the entrance of Esperanza Inlet is reported approximately three cables westward of its charted position. This buoy will be replaced in its correct position as soon as possible.

W. L. STAMFORD, Agent,
Department of Transport.

EARTHQUAKE BOMBS

One of the latest powerful Allied weapons to be launched against Germany is the six-ton "earthquake bomb." Its main advantages are its tremendous blast effect and the fact that it penetrates into the earth and does not explode until it is inside or under the target.

Friday Radio Programs

	CJVI—1480 kc.	CBR—1130 kc.	KIRO—710 kc.	KOMO—1000 kc.	KJR—970 kc.	KOL—1300 kc.
8:00	News	C.B.C. News	Ann Baxter	Radio Parade	Church Programme	Arthur Gaeth
8:15	Just About Time	Front Line Family	Valiant Lady	News	Sons of Pioneers	Andy and Virginia
8:30	Just About Time	Morning Concert	Light of the World	Victor Lindlahr	Breakfast Club	Jerry Morris
8:45	Just About Time	Morning Concert	Aunt Jenny	David Harum	Breakfast Club	Woman's Way
9:00	B.B.C. News	B.B.C. News	Kate Smith Speaks	Voice of a Nation	News	William Lang
9:15	Shamrock Singers	Big Sister	Big Sister	Piano Melodies	A Woman Wonders	Betty and Bob
9:30	Special	Lucy Linton	Helen Trent	Homekeepers	Breakfast at Sardi's	Ray Daughters
9:45	Special	Latin Americana	Our Gal Sunday	Homekeepers	Breakfast at Sardi's	Oliver Barber
10:00	Novelty Time	Morning Visit	Life Beautiful	Tillamook Kitchen	Tony Morse; News	Glenn Hardy, News
10:15	Melody	Happy Gang	Ma Perkins	Home Service	Jack Berch	Arizona Joe
10:30	News	Happy Gang	Bernardine Flynn	Homemakers' Hour	My True Story	Luncheon
10:45	Fashions in Song	Claire Wallace	The Goldbergs	Art Baker	Aunt Jemima	Woman's Jury
11:00	Make Mine Music	Hits of Today	Joyce Jordan, M.D.	Guiding Light	Baukhage Talking	Cedric Foster
11:15	Make Mine Music	Mystery Chef	Two on a Clue	Today's Children	Mystery Chef	Jane Cowl
11:30	Soldier's Wife	Soldier's Wife	Perry Mason	Women in White	Glamour Manor	Open House
11:45	Gay Nineties	Music From Movies	Tena and Tim	Betty Crocker	Glamour Manor	Dream Highway
12:00	Al Smith	Farm Broadcast	Mary Marlin	Women of America	Morton Downey	News
12:15	Ko and Zeb	Farm Broadcast	News	Ma Perkins	News	Music
12:30	News	C.B.C. News	Cecil Solly	Pepper Young	Farm Journal	Smoothies
12:45	Novelties	Matinee Memories	Bachelor's Children	Right to Happiness	Ivor Haglund	Music
1:00	Liptonaires	The Liptonaires	Open House	Backstage Wife	Time Views News	Walter Compton
1:15	Club Diary	Community Fun	Open House	Stella Dallas	Radio Parade	You Need Advice
1:30	Red, White, Blue	Modern Musicians	School of the Air	Lorenzo Jones	This Moving World	Tommy Harris
1:45	Red, White, Blue	Recital	School of the Air	Widder Brown	Edward Jorgenson	Tommy Harris
2:00	Music Lovers	School Broadcast	Evelyn Winters	A Girl Marries	What's Doing?	Film Favorites
2:15	Music Lovers	School Broadcast	Sandra Martin	Portia Faces Life	What's Doing?	Bing Crosby
2:30	Music Lovers	Eyes Front	Meet the Missus	Just Plain Bill	Sweet and Swing	For Victory
2:45	Music Lovers	Eyes Front	Meet the Missus	Front-Page Farrel	May We Serve You?	Island Melodies
3:00	Music From Pacific	Messer's Islanders	Bright Horizon	The Road of Life	News	Griffin Reporting
3:15	Wendell Hall	Public Opinion	Orchestra	Serenade	Loyal Lamont	Gay Nineties
3:30	Musical Magic	Curtain Echoes	Housewives	News	Music	Musical Matinee
3:45	B.B.C. News	B.B.C. News	The World Today	Aunt Mary	Music	Johnson Family
4:00	Old Songs	The Old Songs	Variety in the News	Dr. Kate	Serenade	Fulton Lewis, Jr.
4:15	Headqrtrs. Report	Headqrtrs. Report	Irene Beasley	News of the World	Raymond G. Swing	Pan Americana
4:30	Carolyn Gilbert	Carolyn Gilbert	Friday on Broadway	Piano Melodies	Mythical Ballroom	Howard Costigan
4:45	News Roundup	News Roundup	Friday on Broadway	H. V. Kaltenborn	Hop Harrigan	Don Isham
5:00	Aldrich Family	This Is Our Canada	Hot Off the Wire	O.K. for Release	Terry and Pirates	Sam Hayes
5:15	Aldrich Family	This Is Our Canada	Music	News	Dick Tracy	Superman
5:30	Thin Man	Musical Mailbox	Washington Reports	Melodies	Jack Armstrong	Tom Mix
5:45	Thin Man	Musical Mailbox	News	Elmer Peterson	Captain Midnight	News Wire
6:00	News	Dinner Dance	Hollywood	Waltz Time	Sunset Serenade	Gabriel Heatter
6:15	Dinner Music	Dinner Dance	Notes of Love	Waltz Time	News Reporter	Dinner Music
6:30	Brewster Boy	Orchestra	That Brewster Boy	People Are Funny	Spotlight Bands	Double or Nothing
6:45	Brewster Boy	Orchestra	That Brewster Boy	People Are Funny	Spotlight Bands	Double or Nothing
7:00	Fight	C.B.C. News	Garry Moore	Amos and Andy	Musical Interlude	Dale Carnegie
7:15	Fight	People Next Door	Garry Moore	Amos and Andy	Carl Olson	Lowell Thomas
7:30	Fight	Eventide	Skippy Theatre	Sports Newsreel	Unannounced	Lone Ranger
7:45	Fight	Eventide	Skippy Theatre	Sports Finders	Unannounced	Lone Ranger
8:00	Stars Tomorrow	Soliloquy	J. Kirkwood Show	Supper Club	Foot in Heaven	Boxing
8:15	Mastersingers	Soliloquy	Frank Colby	Fleetwood Lawton	Foot in Heaven	Boxing
8:30	Operetta Time	Playhouse	Ignorance Pays	Duffey's Tavern	Stars of the Future	Boxing
8:45	Operetta Time	Orchestra	Ignorance Pays	Duffey's Tavern	Stars of the Future	Boxing
9:00	Waltztime	Newsreel	Henry Aldrich	Furlough Fun	Breneman's H'hl'ts	News
9:15	Waltztime	World Affairs	Henry Aldrich	Furlough Fun	Breneman's H'hl'ts	Star Gazing
9:30	On My Mind	Science	Thin Man	Song Time	News Reporter	Opportunity
9:45	On My Mind	C. Q. Williams	Thin Man	Song Time	Sons of Pioneers	Opportunity
10:00	News	News; Philpott	Five Star Final	News	Magic Hour	Fulton Lewis, Jr.
10:15	Organ Melodies	News Roundup	News Roundup	Pleasure Parade	Magic Hour	Organ Moods
10:30	Orchestra	Orchestra	Washington Reports	Kaltenborn	Magic Hour	Broadway Echoes
10:45	Orchestra	Orchestra	Beauty Endures	Orchestra	Magic Hour	Broadway Echoes
11:00		Organist	Wally Anderson	A.P. News	Folk Music	News
11:15		Organist; News	Wally Anderson	Evening Reveries	Folk Music	Music in the Night
11:30		Orchestra	Famous Bands	Evening Reveries	Orchestra	Dance Band
11:45		Orchestra; News	News for Alaska	Orchestra	Organ	Dance Band

CKWX—980 kc.

Morning—News, 8: Just About Time, 8:15: Let's Get Together, 8:30: News, 9: Music Mixers, 9:15: On the Home Front, 9:30: Melody Capsules, 9:45: News, 10: House Party, 10:15: Music by Martin, 10:30: News, 10:45: Perry Mason, 11: Jane Cowl, 11:15: Will Reeder, 11:30: Little Show, 11:45. Afternoon, News, 12: Funny Money Man, 12:15: The Smoothies, 12:30: Music for Moderns, 12:45: Walter Compton, 1: Rosemary, 1:15: Road of Life, 1:30: The Goldbergs, 1:45: Red, White and Blue, 2: News, 2:30: Tenor and Baritone, 2:45: Those Who Serve, 3: Music Hall, 3:30: Blighty, 4: News, 4:30: Parade of the Bands, 4:45: Men in Scarlet, 5: Jimmy Dale, 5:15: Squareshooters, 5:30: Orchestra, 5:45: Dinner Diversions, 6: Music and Sports, 6:15: News, 6:30: Hon. H. H. Stevens, 6:45: Modern Romances, 7: News, 7:30: Something to Think About, 7:45: Telequiz, 8: Treasure Trail, 8:30: Album of Yesterday, 9: Labor Progressive, 9:30: Cavalcade of Music, 9:45: News, 10: Weaver of Dreams, 10:15: At Close of Day, 10:30: Let's Dance, 10:45: News, 11: Slumber Time, 11:15.

CJOR—600 kc.

Morning—News, 8: Home Service News, 8:15: Browne, 8:30: Shut In, 9: News, 9:15: Ranch House, 9:30: Town Crier, 9:45: News, 10:15: Melody, 10:30: News, 10:45: Fashions and Music, 11: Cash Clues, 11:15: Uncle Jimmy, 11:30: Orpheum Music, 11:45: Afternoon—Wendell Hall, 12: Tunes, 12:15: Dick Diespecker, 12:30: Dollar Gift, 12:45: Famous Voices, 1: Design for Women, 1:15: Soldier's Wife, 1:45: Browne, 2: Dan Berry, 2:30: Musical Magic, 2:45: News, 3: What's Cooking, 3:15: Billy Browne, 3:30: Teatime, 4: Ma Perkins, 4:15: Life Can Be Beautiful, 4:30: Overseas News, 4:45: Aldrich Family, 5: Thin Man, 5:30: News, 6: Dancetime, 6:15: That Brewster Boy, 6:30: Fight, 7: News, 8: Music Salon, 8:15: Operetta Time, 8:30: Dick Diespecker, 9: Melody Time, 9:15: Navy News, 9:30: On Parliament Hill, 9:45: Radio Rascals, 10: Concert Hour, 10:30: News, 11:15: Lullaby Time, 11:20.

Today's Highlights

6:00 p.m.—Waltztime, KOMO.
6:30 p.m.—That Brewster Boy, CJVI.
7:00 p.m.—Garry Moore, KIRO.
7:30 p.m.—Eventide, CBR.
8:00 p.m.—Soliloquy, CBR.
8:30 p.m.—Operetta Time, CJVI.
9:00 p.m.—Waltztime, CJVI.
9:30 p.m.—Freedom of Opportunity, KOL.
10:00 p.m.—Magic Hour, KJR.

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SPORTS SLANTS

By SID THOMAS

PLAYGROUND SUPERVISOR IS NEEDED IN CITY

Supervised playground activities will soon be to the fore again and as we see it now is the opportune time for the powers to be to give some consideration to a full-time playground supervisor. The man named for such a post would have complete charge of planning and co-ordinating all athletics for our future citizens.

Other cities, some of them smaller than Victoria, have found the plan to be very successful and very beneficial. We feel that this city has long needed such an official on a permanent basis.

The work carried on during the Summer under the auspices of the Council of Social Agencies with financial support from the city is a step in the right direction. But, in our opinion, it is not comprehensive enough and does not take in enough territory.

Surely the money required to employ a full-time playground supervisor, who would be under the parks department, would be money well spent. Money spent in building healthier and stronger citizens for the future.

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SNAPSHOTS

Sgt. Bob Wilkinson, R.C.A.F., one of Victoria's outstanding athletes will arrive home today from Eastern Canada. Wilkinson played Rugby for Victoria College, soccer for St. Louis College and basketball for Hoyle-Brown. In addition, he was a star performer with Coach Archie McKinnon's Flying "Y" Track and Field Club. It was just about three years ago that Wilkinson tied Joe Addison's record of ten seconds flat for the 100 yards in the annual inter-high schools' track and field meet staged under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A. . . . Ken Richards, centre forward of the Oak Bay juvenile soccer team in the First Division, has scored 21 goals in 11 matches, which, we feel, is a pretty good record. Last season he played goal, but gets a lot more "kick" out of his new position . . . Manager "Jock" McColl is going to try out a new player tomorrow, and he is none other than L. Glancy, son of Danny Glancy, former player and referee. The youngster has a number of fine touches and is now going to get his chance in senior company . . . Heavy frost and continual play on the soccer pitch at Royal Athletic Park is responsible for the condition of the ground, according to W. H. Warren, parks superintendent. Mr. Warren informed this scribbler that the drains at the Caledonia Avenue playing field are in good shape and cannot be blamed for the condition of the field.

Senator Chandler Will Go to Bat for Baseball

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (AP).—Baseball is worth continuing during wartime and Congress, should look into its case, Senator Albert Chandler said today.

When work-or-jail legislation comes up in the Senate, the Kentuckian asserted that "he will go to bat" for the game's continuance.

BALMORAL THISTLES WIN

Sellars' goal, which broke a 1-1 deadlock shortly before halftime, gave Balmoral Thistles a 2-1 victory over St. Louis College in a fourth division juvenile soccer match yesterday at Victoria High School ground.

Smith opened the scoring for the Thistles and Blair equalized for College, and then Sellars registered what proved to be the winning marker.

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Crack Northwest Paddle Artists to See Action in City Championship Tourney

Leading players in the Pacific Northwest will see action tonight at the Crystal Garden in the 12th annual city table tennis championships. Top-seeded Art Barran, defending singles titleholder and present provincial champion, will be playing in all events, as will Jim Bennie, recognized as the premier doubles ace on the Pacific Coast, and Len Butchart, Western Canada junior champion.

Top-ranking Victoria paddle artists to see action this evening: Vic Tully, who meets Peter Lou Poy; Will Browne-Cave, who battles Len Butchart; George Lowe, Western Canada singles champion; Ray Dawson, club titleholder, and Keith Olson.

Among the leading women players who will go to the tables tonight are Joy Payne, defending champion; Barbara Mackay, Pacific Coast titleholder, and Ruth Payne, top-ranking player in Western Canada.

In the feature match of last night's play hard-hitting Ray Dawson decisively downed Keith Olson, 21-8, 21-13, 21-13, and advanced to the quarter-finals in the open singles.

Nancy Ley, petite junior ace, defeated Georgina Wilson, 21-18, 22-20, 21-16, and moved into the semi-final bracket, where she will meet Ruth Payne. Eddie Ngai, 12-year-old Chinese star, became the first player to reach a final when he defeated Harold Gold in the handicap singles.

Wynn Robinson scored the closest victory to date when he won from 14-year-old Art Ngai, 22-20, in the fifth game of the senior "B" singles semi-finals.

THE RESULTS

The results follow:

Men's Singles

Ray Dawson defeated K. Olson, 21-8, 21-13, 21-13.

Women's Singles

Nancy Ley defeated Georgina Wilson, 21-16, 22-20, 21-18.

Junior Singles

S. Ngai defeated T. Marr, 21-16, 21-12, 23-21.

K. Olson defeated D. Laing, 21-17, 21-18, 21-18.

Senior "B" Singles

W. Robinson defeated Ed. Cliff, 21-14, 21-12, 21-19.

W. Robinson defeated F. Wight, 21-11, 21-10, 21-15.

W. Robinson defeated A. Ngai, 21-17, 16-21, 21-16, 11-21, 22-20.

TONIGHT'S DRAW

7:15—Donwham and Hair vs. McIvor and Carroll; Pratt vs. S. Reid; Mackay and Tully vs. R. Payne and G. Lowe; Leacock vs. Butchart; Marr vs. Goodwyn; G. Clarke vs. T. Chattell; J. Payne and Browne-Cave vs. T. Brown and O'Connor.

7:45—N. Ley vs. Ruth Payne; Stan Ngai vs. C. Carroll; Browne-Cave vs. Butchart; Tully vs. Lou Poy; A. Kouri vs. winner of Young and Hair; Mackay and McIvor vs. Reid and Wilson; Pratt and Latham vs. Olson and Southern.

8:15—Wilson and Olson vs. Barran and Nancy Ley; Reid and Bennie vs. winner of Downham and Hair and McIvor and Carroll; J. Payne vs. B. Mackay; Jarvis vs. winner of Clarke and Chattell; Leacock vs. Butchart; E. Ngai vs. winner of Marr and Goodwyn (handicap final).

8:45—Barran and Bennie vs. Butchart and Carroll; Robinson and Clarke vs. Lou Poy and Lowe; Leacock and Reid vs. Ngai and Ngai; Hair vs. McGregor; Dawson vs. winner of Carroll and Ngai.

9:15—Browne-Cave and Olson vs. Ngai and Ngai; Dawson and Tully vs. Hair and Taylor; Olson vs. winner of Pratt and Reid.

Quarter-final rounds and semi-finals in all events except men's, women's, handicap and senior "B" singles.

Plays Tonight



BARBARA MACKAY

Pacific Coast champion, who battles Joy Payne, defending city table tennis titleholder, in the semi-final round of the women's singles in the championship tournament this evening. The match promises to be one of the best on the program.

Colored Cage Club Coming For Fixture

Seattle Colored Bombers, all-Negro basketball club, will oppose Pat Bay Gremlins in tomorrow's feature game of the double intercity bill at the Victoria High School Gymnasium.

Jack Phillion, secretary of the Victoria and District Basketball League, announced last night that a new ruling prevented the United States Coast Guard Repair Yard of Seattle from making the trip.

Earlier proposals to bring over a Seattle all-star squad were dropped when word was received that the Colored Bombers, a properly organized club, were available. The visitors have two former members of the Harlem Globe Trotters on their line-up.

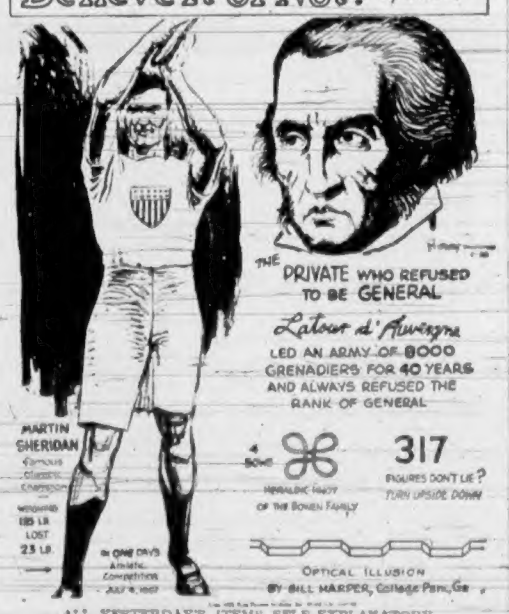
In the preliminary game tomorrow United Services, riding on the crest of a winning streak, will oppose Comox R.C.A.F. in what gives every indication of being a ding-dong battle. The Comox cagers have a number of former Victoria players on their roster. Game time is 7:30 o'clock.

Seattle Colored Bombers and Pat Bay Gremlins will swing into action at 8:30 o'clock.

Ab Demarco Picks Up Scoring Point

Ab Demarco, New York, was the only one of the National Hockey League's top scorers to figure in last night's single game in which Rangers defeated Chicago Black Hawks, 4-3. Demarco, in seventh place, added one point to his total.

Leaders:	G.	A.	Pts.
Richard, Canadiens	33	16	49
Lach, Canadiens	14	35	49
Cowley, Boston	18	30	48
Blake, Canadiens	20	27	47
Howe, Detroit	14	29	43
Bruneteau, Detroit	20	18	38
Demarco, New York	16	20	36



ALL YESTERDAY'S ITEMS SELF-EXPLANATORY

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Rangers' Players Rally to Aid of Goalie



Teammates rally to the assistance of their goalie, Ken McAuley, of the New York Rangers, as he makes a save on a Montreal Canadien scoring try during a National Hockey League ice tilt at Madison Square Garden, New York. Only one attacking Canadien shows in this picture. He is Hector Blake (6), centre, Bill Moe, of the Rangers (21), hits the ice on the play. Next to him is Kilby MacDonald (2). Fritz Hunt (5) is at the right (rear), while Goalie McAuley is in front of his net—where a goalie should be. The Canadiens won, 6 to 2.

Senior Rugby Fifteens to Resume Play

Senior Rugby returns to the local sports front tomorrow with the newly-organized United Services fifteen scheduled to oppose the Royal Canadian Naval College, first-half champions of the Barnard Cup series, at Macdonald Park. Kick-off is set for 2:30 o'clock.

Studded with former members of Victoria's McKechnie Cup fifteens, the Services will round out their squad with a number of promising younger players, giving the team a combination of experience and speed.

Cadets, idle since winning the first-half laurels in an interesting series with the Royal Canadian Air Force, have all of their first-string players available for tomorrow's encounter. However, while league competition has not been available, the Cadets have kept in condition by playing matches in the house league at Naval College.

Battle between the future naval officers and the United Services on the James Bay enclosure will serve a double purpose. In addition to marking the return of senior competition, it will give the fans some idea of the material available for the two remaining McKechnie Cup matches.

United Services team will be selected from the following players: Grogan, Leonard, Willard, Sturrock, Dalziel, Rowe, Latham, Lewis, Lammers, Stevens, Carle, Oliver, A. Williams, R. Williams, Milburn, Travis and McColl.

Arena Campaign By Youth Group Starts Saturday

Final plans were laid for the opening of the arena drive by the Youth Action Committee at a meeting in the Y.M.C.A. last evening presided over by Alf Worthington, president. A street concert will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock on View Street between Douglas and Broad Streets. C. W. Marshall, of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council, and several other speakers will talk on the proposed arena. The Eagles' Drum and Bugle Corps will also be in attendance.

Arrangements were completed for the carnival to be held in the Crystal Garden on February 8 and plans for the huge stage show to be held in the York Theatre on February 18 were discussed. Members of the Youth Action Committee, along with hundreds of other young people, will conduct a canvass of Greater Victoria next week as the arena drive shifts into full gear.

Elected to the carnival committee were Al Davies, Margaret McMeekin, Betty Rennison, Eileen Leckie, Al Hickman, Minky Ford and Tom Hart.

Brooklyn Purchases Fort Worth Franchise

BEAR MOUNTAIN, N.Y., Jan. 25 (AP).—Brooklyn purchased the Fort Worth franchise in the dormant Texas League today, Dodger President Branch Rickey told a group of baseball writers inspecting the club's Spring training quarters.

The Dodgers now have a ten-club farm system, owning five clubs outright and having working agreements with the remainder.

Skating in Saanich

Quick's Pond, Panama Flats and Third Trestle are providing skating enthusiasts with their favorite Winter pastime, Saanich police reported yesterday. There is also skating at Cadwood.

Beacon Hill Park, according to city police, is not safe for ice skaters.

WEST WORTHING, Sussex, England (CP).—The whole town was shaken when an aircraft heading for the continent crashed about 200 yards from a group of houses and its bombs exploded. The pilot is thought to have remained at the controls to clear the town after the remainder of the crew parachuted.

Lee Oma to Fight Joe Baksi Tonight

NEW YORK, Jan. 25 (AP).—Lee Oma, Detroit heavyweight, who once served as Joe Baksi's sparring partner, meets the Kulpmont, Pa., clouter tomorrow night in the ten-round main event at Madison Square Garden. Oma weighed 184 today at the close of his preparations. Baksi, a heavy favorite, was 214.

V.M.D. Eleven To Meet Navy; Wests Travel

Victor will meet vanquished in week-end soccer fixtures, with Victoria Machinery Depot battling the Royal Canadian Navy at Royal Athletic Park tomorrow and Victoria West journeying Up-Island to keep a league engagement with Nanaimo on Sunday.

Shipbuilders and greenshirts registered one-sided triumphs over Nanaimo and the bluejackets, respectively, last week, but managers of the losing clubs have hopes of their proteges providing much stiffer opposition this week.

V.M.D. footballers are riding along at the top of the league standings with two victories in as many starts, while Victoria West are in second place, two points back of the leaders. Navy and Nanaimo have yet to pick up any points in the second half race.

Shipbuilders will be without the services of Gordie Bell, their star right-winger, who is still nursing a sore leg and will have to take a rest. Most of the other regulars will be on deck and Manager McColl is counting on his third victory.

Navy, hard-pressed at times for players, may come up with some additions in hopes of bolstering their line-up and increasing their chances of victory over the pace-setters.

Greenshirts can look for tougher opposition at Nanaimo, where the home team has dropped only one league fixture all season. Wests will travel the same club they fielded last Sunday when they defeated the men in navy blue.

The Royal Athletic Park fixture tomorrow is billed for 3 o'clock, with the starting time for the Sunday game at Nanaimo being 2:30 o'clock.

V.M.D. line-up follows: Evans, Barnswell, Leggett, Youlden, French, G. Robbins, J. Robbins, A. McCormick, Parks, Payne, Stewart, Lee and Glancy.

Clippers Nose Out Cubs, 3-2

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 25 (CP).—Nanaimo Clippers defeated New Westminster Cubs, 3-2, in a Pacific Coast Junior Hockey League game here tonight to strengthen their second-place position in the loop. The two teams clash at Vancouver again tomorrow night.

Playing raggedly throughout, neither team produced their usual brand of hockey. Penalties, however, were scarce, the Nanaimo team playing the entire match without being penalized.

Urged on by their new coach—Louis de Moro, of Trail—The Island crew netted once in the second period and added two more in the final stanza.

New Westminster scored the first goal of the match early in the middle period when George Reid beat Goalie Arnold Ellis cleanly.

—Jack Kirk counted for Nanaimo shortly afterward and then both clubs battled for the remainder of the period with both goaltenders turning in sensational jobs.

Kirk sent Clippers ahead early in the third and then his brother Norm made the count 3-1 for Nanaimo before Reid stepped into the clear to catch Goalie Al Robbins off balance and net again for the Royal City crew.

JUVENILE SOCCER

—Maple Leafs defeated Mount Douglas, 7-1, in a second division juvenile soccer match played yesterday on the latter's home grounds.

Cancellation of Saturday's second division match between James Bay and Oak Bay was announced last night by league officials.

Warriors to Compete in Cage Tourney

Port Lewis Warriors will definitely be here for the invitational international basketball tournament at the Willows on February 23 and 24. Word to this effect was received last night from Gail Bishop, playing coach and captain of the Warriors.

Acceptance by Fort Lewis brings to three the number of top-flight clubs which have signified their willingness to participate in Victoria's major sports event. Alpine Dairy, Seattle and Pat Bay Gremlins made their decisions earlier in the week. Varsity Thunderbirds, fourth club invited, will advise tournament officials today if they can accept the invitation.

Largest sports promotion of its kind ever attempted here, the two-night tourney will be staged under the auspices of the Kinsmen Club and with the co-operation of the Victoria and District Basketball League. Net proceeds from the event will go to the Kinsmen Club war charities.

Hold Arena Rally Today

Victoria High students who have volunteered to join the large army of canvassers who will set out tomorrow to raise funds for Victoria's Memorial Arena will hold a rally at the high school auditorium this morning at 11:45 o'clock.

Lieut. Jack Grogan, Fleet Air Arm; P.O. Ralph Shepherd, R.C.A.F., and Pte. Bobby Barr, wounded in action overseas, will address the student gathering. All former athletes, they are lending their support to the drive for funds.

Mrs. A. H. Cox, chairman of the residential division, and Mrs. K. Barr, office manager for the campaign, will also address the students.

Gordon Hunter, president of the Students' Council, will be chairman.

Oak Bay canvassers held their final rally last night at the Municipal Hall, where last-minute details in connection with their work were explained.

Lieut. Jack Grogan, in addressing the canvassers, told of the interest being shown by the servicemen overseas in Victoria's Memorial Arena plan. "Many of the boys talked with me on the project, and all expressed the hope that it would be carried through to a successful conclusion," Lieut. Grogan said.

Councillor J. V. Johnson, prominent figure in the business and sports circles, made an eloquent appeal to the canvassers to "put their shoulders to the wheel and leave no step unturned in their efforts to put the plan over the top."

Bob Dewar, campaign chairman, was in charge of the rally.

Victoria canvassers will hold their final rally at the campaign headquarters, 755 View Street, this evening at 8 o'clock. Speakers will include Bill Passmore, Kinsmen Club; C. W. Marshall, Victoria Trades and Labor Council; Lieut. Jack Grogan and P.O. Ralph Shepherd.

MAYFIELD, England (CP).—Mrs. Maud Bradley had two cakes when she celebrated her 100th birthday—one with 100 candles and another with a Union Jack, an airplane and a man-of-war.

The Sporting Thing

By LANG ARMSTRONG



"Nope! Yer ring ain't down here!"

Start Firing Today In Texas Open Golf

Byron Nelson Rules Favorite in Field Of 170—Betty Jameson Issues Challenge

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Jan. 25 (AP).—One hundred and seventy golfers start firing tomorrow at the tight 7,1 par on Brackenridge course in the initial 18 holes of the Texas open—one of the largest entries in the 18 years of this top event.

Byron Nelson, Toledo, Ohio, is the outstanding favorite.

Eighteen holes tomorrow and Saturday will cut the contestants to 60—50 pros and 10 amateurs—for the final 36 holes Sunday.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Jan. 25 (AP).—Betty Jameson, twice national woman's golf champion, who has been virtually out of competition for several years, said today she would like to meet Babe (Didrikson) Zaharias in a match played for war charities.

Miss Jameson has not participated in a national or sectional tournament in two years. But she says with a few weeks' practice she will be ready to take on the long-driving Babe, who has been playing golf along the Winter tournament trail.

"I would like to know what the Babe thinks of this challenge," said Fred Corcoran, tournament manager of the P.G.A., now here with the professional golfing troupe playing in the Texas open.

"I think the logical place to play such a match would be in Texas, since the Babe also is a Texan. It could be played for a Government hospital here in San Antonio."

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 25 (AP).—Babe Didrikson Zaharias was not available tonight for comment on Betty Jameson's challenge, but her husband, Wrestler George Zaharias, said "the Babe would like the opportunity to play Miss Jameson for any worthy charity."

The Babe, he said, would probably want the match to be at least 36 holes, medal play.

Brings Record Price

AUCKLAND, New Zealand, Jan. 25 (CP).—A record price of 3,000 guineas (about $11,000) for a yearling sold by auction in New Zealand was realized at the Trentham National Sales today.

The yearling was a black colt by Foxbridge out of Ann Acre. The pedigree of Foxbridge, New Zealand's leading sire several seasons ago, traces back to the famed British sire, Son-in-Law.

SOCCER WORKOUT

A workout of the Black and White juvenile soccer team will be held on the upper pitch at Royal Athletic Park this afternoon at 4 o'clock.



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Finance–Commerce–Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Jan. 25 (AP). — The stock market reversed its course today and for the first time since January 17, negotiated an average advance although on one of the smallest five-hour turnovers of the past two months.

The comeback was attributed ... recent substantial reaction entitled the list to at least a temporary technical turn-about. The forward swing of the Allies in Europe still was a cautionary trend influence, however.

The Associated Press 60-stock composite was up .4 of a point at 58.2. Of 886 issues registering, 587 were in the plus column. Transfers of 973,890 shares compared with 1,012,460 Wednesday and were the lowest for a full stretch since December 21.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Thirty industrials, 152.26, up .81.
Twenty rails, 47.47, up .32.
Fifteen utilities, 26.49, up .17.
Total sales, 973,890 shares.

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Close
Allied Chemicals	160
American Can	91
American Power & Light	2
American Tobacco	68
American Smelter	42
American Tel. & Tel.	161
American Waterworks	8
Anaconda Copper	30⅝
Armour, Ill.	7
Atchison Topeka	78
B. & O. Railway	11
Baldwin Locomotive	25
Bethlehem Steel	68
Boeing Aircraft	18
Borden	34
Borg Warner	37
Case, J. I.	36
Canadian Pacific Railway	11
Cerro de Pasco	33
C. & O. Railway	50
Chrysler	92
Columbia Gas	4
Consolidated Edison	25
Continental Can	40
Crucible Steel	40
Curtiss-Wright	5
Douglas Aircraft	68
Dupont	159
Erie Railroad	11
General Foods	40
General Electric	38
General Motors	63
Granby Copper	4
Goodrich, B. F.	55
Goodyear Tire	52
Great Northern	47
Great West Sugar	28
Howe Sound	38
Hupp Motors	4
International Harvester	75
International T. & T.	22
International Nickel	29
Johns-Manville	104
Kennecott Copper	36
Loews Theatre	74
Montgomery Ward	49
Nash Kelvinator	16
New York Central	22
Northern Pacific	18
Pennsylvania Railway	34
Phillips Pete	46
Pullman	48
Radio	11
Republic Steel	19
Reynold's Tobacco	32
Safeway Stores	56
Standard Oil of N.J.	57½
Sears Roebuck	103
Southern Pacific	39
Studebaker	20
Texas Corporation	51
Texas Gulf	37
Union Carbide	78
Union Oil of Calif.	21
Union Pacific	111
United Aircraft	30
United Fruit	80
United States Rubber	52
United States Steel	59
United States Smelting	56
Westinghouse Electric	116
Western Union	44
Woolworth	40
Youngstown Sheet	40
Zenith Radio	35

Closing Averages

(James Richardson & Sons)

TORONTO

Twenty industrials, 132.35, down .33.
Twenty golds, 114.46, up .07.
Ten base metals, 72.49, down .13.
Fifteen Western oils, 26.68, up .05.
Total sales, 1,085,000.

MONTREAL

Twenty industrials, 93.60, unchanged.
Ten utilities, 59.50, unchanged.
Thirty combined, 82.20, unchanged.
Ten pulp and paper, 186.00, off .37.
Fifteen golds, 84.60, up 3.32.

VANCOUVER

Twenty golds, 61.31, up 1.52.
Ten base metals, 45.93, up .21.
Fifteen oils, 86.86, up .11.

Toronto Stocks

MINING SECTION

(Island Investment Co. Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close
Aldermac	.10½	.15	.15½
Anglo-Huronian			8.00b
Armistice	.35	.32	.35
Aumaque	.80	.79½	.80
Aunor	4.10	4.05	4.05
Bagamac			.14b
Base Metals	.13½	.13	.13
Bear Exploration	1.95	1.88	1.90
Beattie	1.73	1.72	1.73
Bidgood Kirkland	.41½	.40	.41
Bobjo	.12½	.12	.12½
Boneral	.21	.19½	.21
Bralorne			16.00
Broulan Porcupine	.75	.74	.75
Buffalo Ankerite			5.55b
C. & F.			1.75b
Canadian Malartic	1.05	1.02	1.02
Cariboo Gold Q			1.80b
Castle Trethaway	1.13	1.12	1.12
Central Patricia	2.20	2.15	2.15
Cochenour Willans	3.45	3.35	3.40
Chesterville	2.35	2.28	2.30
Chrom. M. & S.			1.40
Consolidated Smelt.	51.00	50.50	51.00
Coniaurum	1.62	1.60	1.60
Conwest	1.47	1.38	1.47
Dome			26.50
East Malartic	2.77	2.71	2.73
Falconbridge	4.60	4.55	4.55
Francoeur	.61	.60	.61
Giant Yellowknife	9.75	9.65	9.65
God's Lake			.32
Goldale			.25
Golden Gate	.13	.12½	.13
Gunnar Gold			.27
Halnor			.12½b
Hardrock	.78	.78	.78
Harker Gold			.07½
Hollinger	12.00	11.85	11.87½
Home Oil			3.90
Howey			.18
Hudson Bay M. & S.			31.00
Inter. Nickel	31.62½	31.50	31.50
Jason			.21b
Kerr Addison	12.12½	11.75	11.87½
Kirkland Lake	1.06	1.05	1.06
Lake Dufault	1.35	1.30	1.32
Lakeshore	20.25	20.00	20.25
Lamaque Gold			6.50
Leitch Gold	1.38	1.34	1.34
Little Long Lac	1.40	1.36	1.39
Macassa	4.10	4.05	4.10
Madsen Red Lake	2.25	2.21	2.21
Malartic Goldfields	3.70	3.65	3.70
Mining Corp.	2.28	2.27	2.27
McKenzie Red Lake	1.55	1.53	1.53
McWatters	.25½	.25	.25½
McIntyre			65.00
McLeod Cockshutt	2.60	2.55	2.60
Moneta	.90	.88	.87
Negus	1.40	1.35	1.40
Nipissing	2.51	2.50	2.50
Noranda			51.00
Normetal	.67	.65	.65
O'Brien	2.56	2.50	2.55
Omega	.49½	.47½	.47½
Pamour	1.27	1.25	1.25
Paymaster	.43	.42	.42
Pend Oreille			1.35b
Perron Gold	1.28	1.19	1.27
Pickle Crow	2.75	2.71	2.72
Pioneer	4.80	4.75	4.80
Premier	1.48	1.44	1.45
Preston East Dome	2.80	2.78	2.80
Privateer			.42b
Queenston	1.27	1.22	1.25
San Antonio			4.45
Senator Rouyn	.36½	.36	.36
Sherritt-Gordon			.70
Sheep Creek			1.17
Sigma			12.00
Siscoe	.80	.71	.80
Sladen Malartic	.59	.56	.58
Steep Rock	2.90	2.85	2.90
Sullivan	1.60	1.55	1.60
Sylvanite	2.69	2.65	2.69
Teck-Hughes	3.85	3.75	3.75
Toburn			.95b
Upper Canada	2.38	2.33	2.35
Ventures	14.75	14.25	14.50
Waite Amulet	4.75	4.70	4.70
Wright-Hargreaves	4.10	4.05	4.05

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B.C. Power "A"	21½	22
Can. Car & Foundry	10½	12
Can. Car & Foundry, Pfd.	28½	29
Can. Steamships	12½	13½
Can. Steamships, Pfd.	45	46
Can. Canners, Com.	16½	17
Can. Canners "B"	18	19
Can. Celanese	46	48½
Canadian Pacific Railway	12½	12¾
Consolidated Smelters	51	52
Consolidated Paper	8⅜	8½
Distillers-Seagrams	43	43½
Dominion Bridge	29½	30½
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	7⅞	8
Ford of Canada "A"	25	25½
Gatineau		16½
Gatineau, Pfd.	98	98½
Goodyear		98
Hiram Walker	71	71½
Hiram Walker, Pfd.	21½	22
Imperial Oil	13½	13½
International Nickel	31½	31½
International Petroleum	23	22⅞
Loblaw "A"	27	28
Loblaw "B"	26½	26½
McColl-Frontenac	9⅞	10½
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	106	107
Massey-Harris	8½	9
Massey-Harris, Pfd.	23½	24
Montreal Power	21	21
National Breweries	40⅝	40
National Steel Car	18	18½
Ogilvie	26½	27
Shawinigan	17½	18
Simpson's, Pfd.	103½	
Steel of Canada	70	70½
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	75	76
United Steel	4⅞	4½
George Westons, Com.	18	18½
George Westons, Pfd.	99⅝	100
Western Canada Flour, Pfd.	94	96
Page-Hersey	100	
Power Corporation		8
Price Bros.	33⅝	33½
Quebec Power	15¾	16
St. Lawrence Corporation	2⅞	3
St. Lawrence, pfd.	18½	19
Shawinigan Power	17½	17⅝
Sick's Breweries	23⅝	23
Simon, H. & Son	16	
South Canada Power	11	11½
Steel of Canada	69½	70
Tooke Bros. (new)	18½	
United Steel	5	7½
Walker, Gooderham, com.	71	72½
Walker, Gooderham, pfd.	21½	22
Winnipeg Electric, com.	6⅝	7
Winnipeg Electric, pfd.	78	78



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Vancouver Stocks

VANCOUVER, Jan. 25 (CP).—Mines made a few gains while oils held firm on Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Total turnover amounted to 97,865 shares.

Pioneer climbed 15 to 4.90 and Premier was up 1 at 1.43. Minto increased a fraction to 8 3-4 and Bridge River Consolidated was up a fraction at 20.

Okalta climbed 1 to 44 and C. & E. Corporation was unchanged at 1.75.

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OILS	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	.06½	.07
Anglo-Canadian	.75	.80
A.P. Consolidated	.13	.14
C. & E. Corporation	1.75	
Calmont	.21	.24
Commoil	.23	
Commonwealth	.41	.44
Davies Petroleum	.13	.16
East Crest	.12	
Foothills	1.30	1.35
Highwood Sarcee	.10	.11
Home Oil	3.15	3.20
Mercury	.06½	
McDougal Segur	.08	
Mill City	.07½	.09
Model	.16	.20
National Petroleum	.11	.14
Okalta	.42	.46
Pacific Petroleum	.50	.55
Royal Canadian	.03½	.04
Royalite	19.50	
Vanalta	.08	
Vulcan	.17	.18
MINES		
Bayonne Consolidated	.11½	.12
Bralorne	15.90	16.00
Cariboo Gold	1.80	1.85
Dentonia	.04⅝	.05½
Bridge River Consolidated	.19½	.20
Bridge River Exploration	.14	.14½
Golconda	.09	
Grandview	.13	
Gull Winkane	.15½	.16
Hedley Mascot	.79	.80
Island Mountain		1.18
Kootenay Belle	.34	
Minto	.08½	.08¾
Pacific Nickel	.15	.18
Pioneer	4.75	4.85
Premier Border	.07½	.08
Premier	1.42	1.44
Privateer	.42	.42½
Quatsino Copper	.02⅝	.03
Reeves McDonald	.21	
Reno	.05	.05⅛
Sheep Creek	1.14	1.20
Silback Premier	.80	.90
Surf Inlet	.13	
Taylor Bridge	.29	.30
Whitewater	.03½	.04
Wellington	.01½	.01⅝
Ymir Yank	.05	
MISCELLANEOUS		
Capital Estates	4.25	4.50
Coast Breweries	1.80	2.00
United Distillers	4.00	

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG, Jan. 25 (CP).—No export business was reported by traders today on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange but in domestic dealings shippers took small lots of oats and barley for all-rail shipment to Eastern Canada from the Lakehead.

Rye—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	117⅝	118¾	117⅛	118½
July	112½	114	112¼	113⅝
Oct.	105⅝	107	105¼	106⅝

CASH GRAIN	
Oats—	
Track	61½
No. 2 C.W.	61½
Barley—	
No. 3 C.W.	64⅝
Track	61½
Barley—	
No. 3 C.W.	64⅝
Track	64⅝
Rye—	
No. 2 C.W.	116⅝
Track	116⅝

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, Jan. 25 (AP). — Grain futures markets turned strong in the final half-hour of trading today and the entire list scored gains with rye leading the advance and finishing as much as 1 3-4 cents higher.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	160⅝	160½	159⅜	160
July	151⅝	151⅞	150⅝	151⅝
Sept.	150¼	151	149⅝	150⅝
Rye—				
May	110⅝	111⅝	110¼	111⅝
July	107	108¼	106⅝	108
Sept.	103⅝	104⅝	102⅞	104½
Oats—				
May	65½	66	64⅝	65⅝
July	60	61¼	59½	61
Sept.	57⅛	58⅜	56½	58
Corn—				
May	111¼	111⅝	110⅞	111⅝
July	109⅝	110⅝	109½	110½
Sept.	107⅝	108⅝	107¼	108⅝

NORWAY'S INDEPENDENCE

Norway declared its independence from Denmark and Sweden in 1814 but the union was not dissolved for 91 years.

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL, Jan. 25 (CP).—Golds were active and higher on average in trading up to the final hour today on the stock exchange and trends in other groups were irregular, with pluses ahead of losses in changes.

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	Bid	Asked
Canadian Investment Fund		4.30
Canadian Bank of Commerce	14⅝	15
Dominion Bank	18	19
Imperial Bank	18½	19
Bank of Montreal	17⅛	17¼
Bank of Nova Scotia	28½	29½
Royal Bank of Canada	15⅝	16¼
Abitibi, com.	2⅞	3¼
Abitibi, pfd.	48⅛	40½
Algoma Steel	15½	16
Aluminum, com.	97½	99⅝
Aluminum, pfd.	100½	101½
Asbestos Corporation	22½	22½
Bathurst "A"	16½	16½
Bell Telephone	163	164
Brazilian Traction	22½	22⅝
British America Oil	24	24½
B.C. Packers	25	27
B.C. Power "A"	21½	22
Building Products	18⅞	19
Bulolo Gold	17	18½
Canada & Dominion Sugar	24	25
Canada Cement	9⅛	10
Canada Malting	51	52
Canadian Northern Power	9¼	10
Canada Steamships, com.	12½	12½
Canada Steamships, pfd.	43⅝	44
Canadian Breweries	6½	8⅜
Canadian Breweries, pfd.	44½	45
Canadian Bronze, com.	32½	40
Canadian C. & F., com.	11½	11
Canadian C. & F. (new), pfd.	26	28½
Canadian Celanese	46	48½
Canadian Dredge & Dock	21	22
Canadian Industrial Alcohol	6⅝	7
Canadian Industries "B"	138	140
Canadian Locomotive	16¼	18½
Canadian Pacific Railway	12⅛	12¾
Canadian Vickers, com.	5	6½
Canadian Vickers, pfd.	54	58
Cockshutt Plow	13¼	13½
Commercial Alcohol	3½	3½
Consolidated Paper	8⅜	8
Consumers Glass	33	33
Crown Cork & Seal	41	42
Distillers Seagrams	43	43½
Dominion Bridge	29½	30
Dominion Engineering	31	34
Dominion Oilcloth & Lino	36	36½
Dominion Woollens	7½	7½
Dominion Coal & Steel "B"	7⅞	8
Dominion Stores	14	14½
Dominion Tar & Chemical	13½	13½
Dominion Textile	93	93½
Donnacona Paper	11½	11½
Dryden Paper	9	10
Fairchild Aircraft	2	2¼
Fleet Aircraft	3	3½
Ford of Canada "A"	25	25½
Foundation Co.	21	21½
Fraser Co. V.T.	26	26
Gatineau Power	16	16½
General Steel Wares	16⅛	16
Gypsum Lime & Alabastine	9½	9½
Hamilton Bridge	6⅛	6½
Howard Smith	22½	23
Imperial Oil	13⅝	13½
Imperial Tobacco	12¾	13
International Bronze Powder		17½
International Nickel	31½	32
International Paper	31½	32½
International Petroleum	23	23½
International Power	30	31½
International Utilities "A"	27½	28½
Lake of the Woods Milling	25¾	26
Maple Leaf, com.	13½	14
Maple Leaf, pfd.	17½	18
Massey-Harris, com.	8⅝	8½
Massey-Harris, pfd.	23½	
McColl-Frontenac, com.	10	10½
Mitchell, Robt.	21½	22½
Montreal Power	22	22½
National Breweries	40⅝	40½
National Steel Car	18	18½
Ogilvie Flour	26⅝	27

Toronto Unlisted Stocks

	Bid	Asked
Amalgamated Larder	1.15	1.20
Blondor	.30	.32
Campbell	.45½	.47
Cardinal	.25	.29
Croinor Pershing	1.06	1.10
Crowshore Patricia	.35	.38
Dickenson	.30	.33
East Amphi	.30	.33
Goldbeam	3.10	3.20
Homer	.23	.24
Jacknife	.15	.18
Kinojevis	.31	.33
Lasalle	.72	.77
Lynx	.81	.84
Mata Yellowknife	.37	.40
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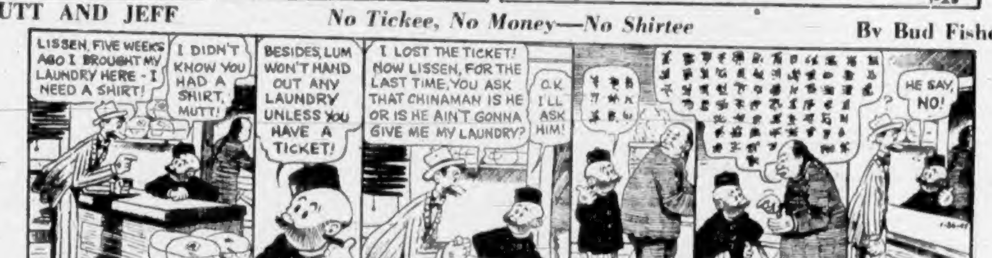
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Mayor Claims He Will Try to Keep Tax Rate From Climbing

"I am not going to stand for a cut in the tax rate with conditions the way they are. Rather, I would warn you that conditions indicate an upward trend, although I will endeavor to keep the rate at its present level," Mayor Percy E. George told the Lions Club at a luncheon meeting in Spencer's dining-room yesterday.

He criticized the policy of past councils in making every effort to reduce the mill rate to the detriment of essential services. "My contention is," he said, "that we have been on the wrong path. We have harvested all the profits from the extra business during the past few years and what have we to show for it? No work has been done on our waterworks system, and it will soon need extensive repairs. Roads used by the street cars are in a shameful condition, our electrical wiring is in need of repair, and our garbage collection [illegible] improved."

Speaking on the difficulties of the postwar period, the mayor felt that new expenditures would be necessary then. Servicemen who had been stationed here would be returning to stay at the rate of two or three for every Victorian who came back, he predicted.

"It is useless to say that we can look to the Federal and Provincial Governments to successfully set up returned men, and it will be up to the municipality to see that they are rehabilitated. The first two years after the war may be simple, but the third, fourth and fifth may see depression unless proper measures are carried out, and I would ask all of you to take the long-range view. I have a council behind me that I am proud of, and who are anxious to serve you," he concluded.

Mayor George was introduced by G. H. Marr and thanked by G. Ellis. Among the guests present were Alderman F. G. Mulliner and Charles F. Gray, mayor of Winnipeg from 1918 to 1920.

Further progress was reported on arrangements for the arena canvass by the Lions Club committee, and preliminary reports of a series of entertainments in aid of the Royal Jubilee Hospital Maternity Wing were received. First in a series of shows will be held at the Royal Victoria Theatre on February 16 and 17. Dr. Clifford Carl was chairman.

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Court of Appeal Victoria Sittings

The Clelland vs. Clelland appeal continued yesterday, and C. L. McAlpine, K.C., who opened for the respondent late in the afternoon, will continue his argument at 10:30 o'clock this morning.

The court will convene at 10 o'clock today in order to receive further argument in Rex vs. Smart. The appeal came before the court on January 16, but was adjourned, as the transcript was not then in hand.

The accused appears in person, and M. B. Jackson, K.C., is counsel for the Crown.

Peremptory list Rex vs. Smart, Clelland vs. Clelland, at bar.

To Preach Here



REV. DR. ANDREW RODDAN

Well-known minister of Vancouver First United Church, who will come over from the Mainland to occupy the pulpit at First United here on Sunday on the occasion of the 83rd anniversary of the local church. He will preach both morning and in the evening.

Cafe Case to Be Continued

After two and one-half hours of evidence by witnesses for the prosecution and defence, trial of Mrs. Kondila C. Kallops, owner of the St. James Cafe, was adjourned in city police court yesterday until next Wednesday. She is charged with making false statements to ration officials of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board for use in setting quotas of rationed foods.

Five other cafe proprietors who have also pleaded not guilty to similar charges were remanded to next Wednesday.

Trial of Mrs. Kallops, which began last week, continued yesterday with questioning of W. Buchanan, W.P.T.B. investigator, by P. J. Sinnot, defence counsel. Shown a meal slip, Mr. Buchanan said items on it could be segregated in a number of ways into light or heavy meals.

He said that on the basis of records of servings in a three-day period last September, used because of the inadequacy of records kept in the January-June period on which the charge is based, the cafe had overstated the number of servings. He gave that opinion on the assumption that cash receipts given by the cafe were correct. The cafe's figure of servings in January, he said, would have brought in $6,757, whereas its figure for receipts was $4,112, including tobacco sales.

Chris Kallops, who said he managed the cafe for his wife, stated that his hired help had not put sufficient detail on food slips in the January-June period. He said he therefore estimated servings on the amount of coffee used, at 60 cups to the pound. Mrs. Kallops gave similar evidence.

J. M. Le Marquand, bookkeeper, said he filled out W.P.T.B. quota forms for the cafe on instructions given him. J. B. Clearihue, K.C., represents the W.P.T.B.

Abduction Charge Laid in Saanich

Thomas Whittaker, Judah Street, Saanich, was remanded yesterday for sentence until Saturday morning after evidence was heard by Magistrate H. C. Hall in Saanich police court on a charge of abducting a juvenile girl to Edmonton.

He told the court that the girl wished to marry him and went willingly with him to Alberta where he had found work. Her parents had refused to give consent to the marriage. The charge was dated December 11. Sgt. Eric Elwell, Saanich police, told of going to Edmonton and bringing the couple back this week. The case was heard at Royal Oak, as the magistrate did not have jurisdiction in the city.

ANNUAL EVENT TONIGHT

Knights and Dames of the Thistle will hold their annual Burns anniversary supper, concert and dance in the K. of P. Hall on Broad Street at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

City and District

Kindergarten Planned—The Provincial Secretary's department yesterday asked the city's opinion of a kindergarten planned by Mrs. Rena F. F. Patenaude at 603 Superior Street.

Plans Duplex—The city yesterday issued a permit to M. F. Hunter for an eight-room duplex dwelling at 820 Pembroke Street, to cost $5,200. Mrs. J. McKay, 440 Griffiths Street, secured a permit for alterations and additions costing $1,500.

Interview Mayor—A delegation of automobile dealers yesterday interviewed Mayor Percy E. Gorge to request a reduction in the present licence fees of $100 for dealers in new cars and $50 for second-hand dealers. The Mayor said he was opposed to a change.

No Expiry Date—The local office of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board announced yesterday that valid butter ration coupons in Book No. 5 have no expiry dates and are good for the purchase of butter until a further announcement from the board.

New Store — Arthur H. Lee, 101 Menzies Street, a discharged veteran with five years' R.C.N. service, yesterday requested zoning of a Croft Street lot for commercial use, as he intends to build a confectionery store. He submitted signatures of 28 nearby residents who approved the plan.

Fire Barge — W. C. Mainwaring, chairman of the advisory council, Provincial Civilian Protection Committee, yesterday informed Mayor Percy E. George that he had written to Hon. Ian Mackenzie to ask if a fire barge now at North Vancouver could be transferred to Victoria.

Sales Drop — The National War Finance Committee revealed yesterday that sales of War Savings Certificates totaled $4,437,028 last year in British Columbia and the Yukon, compared with $5,098,858 in 1943. Stamp sales reached $913,000 last year, against $963,799 the previous year.

New Scales—With new public scales scheduled to arrive here soon, a site for them has been decided on in the parking lot east of the City Police Station on Fisgard Street, G. M. Irwin, city engineer, stated yesterday. The site will be near the middle of the lot some distance from that of the old scales. Complaints have been received, Mayor Percy E. George reported, on the use of scales at the C.P.R. wharf by the city.

Five New Societies—Registered at the Legislative Buildings this week under the Societies Act were five new societies at scattered points in British Columbia, as follows: Canyon Park Association, Canyon; R.O.P. Poultry Association, Aldergrove; Nelson and District Arts and Crafts Association, Nelson; Woodward's Pension Society, Vancouver, and Chan Luen Kon Sol Society, Vancouver.

At Vancouver — Frank H. Davey, president of the Nanaimo Federal and Saanich Provincial Progressive Conservative Associations, left for Vancouver yesterday afternoon to attend a special meeting of candidates, organizers and officers of the provincial association. R. A. Bell, national director of the Federal association, and J. M. Macdonnell, candidate for the Federal riding of Muskoka, Ont., will also be present.

Saanich Cases — A motorist was fined $10 yesterday in Saanich police court for speeding in a school zone. One paid a $5 fine for failing to have a driver's licence, and another was fined $5 for operating a car without a muffler. A man paid a $10 fine for failing to pay his road and poll tax. A householder who contested a charge of neglecting to possess a radio licence was found guilty and fined $1 and $2.50 costs.

To Return Soon—Hon. Dr. K. C. MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture, is expected to return at the week-end from Kelowna, where he attended the B.C. Fruit Growers' Association convention. Hon. R. L. Maitland, Attorney-General, who also attended as a guest speaker, is expected to spend the week-end at his home in Vancouver and to return to his office here at the beginning of the week.

Meet Cabinet—Pre-session representations will be made to the Provincial Cabinet by three groups today and next Friday. Today the Cabinet will receive a delegation from the United Mine Workers of America taking up labor questions, and a delegation of the Khalsa Diwan Society dealing with problems [illegible] week representatives of the Standard Railway Organizations will meet the Government.

Plan Meeting—About 50 former residents of the Peace River Block will hold a reunion at 8 o'clock tonight in the upper ballroom of the Crystal Garden. M. Zabel and H. E. Jerry, who are making arrangements, said there would be dancing and games, and old-timers would reminisce. The gathering will also tender farewell wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Quinn, former Peace River residents who are returning to Ireland. Any former Peace River resident is welcome, Mr. Jerry said.

Clothing Drive—Mayor Percy E. George stated yesterday following receipt of a letter from the National Council for Canadian-Soviet Friendship that he proposed to hold a meeting to plan a drive in Victoria for clothing for destitute persons in Sevastopol, Victoria's adopted city. The letter said the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund was organizing a drive for clothing for 15,000,000 orphans and others in Russia. It said the Russian ambassador at Ottawa had given assurance that clothing collected would be sent to adopted cities individually.

Police Court — Elmer Wayne Ahola pleaded not guilty in city police court yesterday to a charge under the Criminal Code of not supplying his wife with the necessities of life. He was arrested by city detectives on Wednesday. James F. Gardiner, represented by P. J. Sinnott, pleaded not guilty to a charge of dangerous driving on January 19 at Burdett Avenue and Quadra Street. Constance Wright, charged with vagrancy, pleaded not guilty and was remanded to today. Eight motorists each paid $2.50 parking fines, and one paid $5 for not having a driver's license.

Two Found Shot At Port Alberni

Reporting Vancouver Island's second double domestic death in two weeks, Provincial Police said yesterday that Sam and Emily Erickson were found at 9:45 o'clock yesterday morning dead of gunshot wounds in a bedroom of a house at 405 Ninth Street, Port Alberni.

Mrs. Erickson was found with two bullet wounds in the back, police said, and Erickson was found with a 30-30 rifle in his hands and the top of his head blown off. Mrs. Georg Kersinger told the police she saw the shootings take place at 9:40 o'clock.

Sgt. Samuel Service, head of the Port Alberni police detachment, said the couple had been separated for some time, and Erickson had asked his wife to return to him. An inquest will be held.

Prison Term for Gasoline Theft

Found guilty on charges of theft of two and a half gallons of gasoline and theft of a cushion and a parcel of wool cuttings, Robert G. Saul was sentenced by County Court Judge H. H. Shandley yesterday to serve three months in jail on each charge, the sentences to run concurrently.

Saul, testifying on his own behalf, denied the thefts, stating he was merely a passenger in the car in which police found the articles. He admitted a record of 19 charges, including vagrancy, theft and liquor offences between 1920 and 1944, in Ontario, Saskatchewan and British Columbia.

Joseph McKenna, conducting the prosecution, called as witnesses V. A. Exton, Mrs. Rachel Hervet, Harold Hervet, Constable Keith Hall and Constable Albert Wilson.

Saul conducted his own defence.

LARGER CONGREGATION

Membership showed an increase of 17 per cent during 1944, it was disclosed at the annual meeting of Centennial United Church last Monday night. Rev. John Turner presided.

It was reported that the sinking fund of the church showed a considerable increase, and the building project had been oversubscribed. Other reports showed gains in the work of various departments, and increased spiritual activities.

A vote of loyalty and esteem was passed to Mr. Turner, the pastor, with a unanimous request that he continue his ministry for another year.

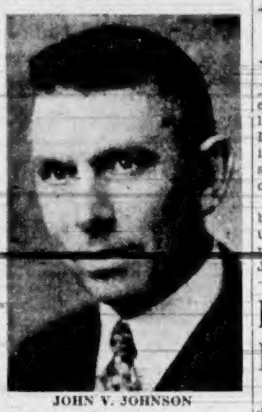
Persons interested in air raid precautions have been invited to attend a meeting of District No. 5, Civil Defence, in Quadra Primary School at 7:30 o'clock tonight. T. A. Cresswell, district warden, will report on activities. The ladies' auxiliary will elect officers.

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Who was re-elected president of the Oak Bay Liberal Association by acclamation when nominations closed on Wednesday night. Others re-elected were W. S. Kirkpatrick, vice-president; H. H. Hollins, secretary, and P. A. Gibbs, treasurer. Election of the executive will take place in the Goblin ballroom of the Oak Bay Theatre at 8 o'clock next Monday night. R. W. Mayhew, M.P., and Prof. E. S. Farr will speak.

Education Survey To Start Tuesday

Opening session of the commission to inquire into education financing in British Columbia will be held at Vancouver next Tuesday, Dr. M. A. Cameron, commissioner, stated yesterday. During the week of February 5, sittings will be held in the Fraser Valley, and the commission will then go to Interior and Northern British Columbia points, before meeting on Vancouver Island.

T. G. Carter, inspector of schools at Penticton, who until recently was serving with the Royal Canadian Air Force, will be commission secretary.

It is anticipated that during the first week in Vancouver briefs will be presented by the British Columbia School Trustees' Association, the British Columbia Parent-Teacher Association, the British Columbia Teachers' Federation, Vancouver School Board and other groups.

Modern Greek Class

A class in modern Greek language, sponsored by the Greek Democratic Centre, will open in the Y.M.C.A. at 8 o'clock tonight, and will be held every Friday during the Winter. Stanley Morisse, instructor, stated yesterday that plans were also being made to take up art, poetry and drama.

Oyster Bay Road Tender Accepted

Contract for revision of a mile of the Island Highway at Oyster Bay, near Ladysmith, has been awarded to Garner Bros.' Construction Company, of Vancouver, whose bid was $56,288, it was announced yesterday by Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Public Works.

Other tenders were: Campbell Contracting Co., Ltd., $57,808; General Construction Co., Ltd., $58,758; Dawson, Wade & Co., Ltd. $58,999; Coast Construction Co., Ltd., $66,281; Campbell Construction Co., Ltd., $71,612; G. W. Ledingham & Co., Ltd., $71,622. The minister stated clerical errors made in the tenders submitted by certain of the contractors had been rectified and bids corrected to the figures above.

Announcements

O. H. Lowenborg, 20-21 Winch Building (Spencer's Fort Street entrance). Pine steam baths, light baths, massage. (Formerly supervising masseur, Workmen's Compensation Board Clinic, Vancouver.) E 2311.

Hear Harold Griffin, author and lecturer; Hillary Brown, writer and journalist, and Darshan Singh Sangha, "Independence for India and Victory," Friday, January 26, 8 p.m., Chamber of Commerce Hall. Admission free.

Out of respect of the late Mr. G. H. Bevan-Pritchard the entertainment arranged by the James Bay P.-T.A. at South Park School, Friday, January 26, has been postponed to Friday, February 2.

First Esquimalt Boy Scouts and Cub Pack wish to thank Mr. Hannan, manager of the Cadet Theatre, for his kindness in sponsoring the Boy Scout night, December 22.

Rev. Dr. Andrew Roddan, of Vancouver, will give illustrated lecture on "Scotland and Robbie Burns" in Centennial Church, Gorge Road, Monday, 8 p.m. Admission 25c.

Water Color Painting, commencing January 30. Miss Amy B. Stone will direct studio groups at 435 Simcoe Street. Phone E 4028.

The Ex-B.C. Telephone Operators union dinner, Terry's, February 13, E 4992.

Twilight Recital at First Baptist Church, Sunday at 3 by First Baptist Choir.

British Bundles will occupy the premises at 920 Gordon Street until April 30, 1945.

Saskatchewan C.C.F. Results. Hear F.O. Murray Bryce, CJVI, tomorrow at 9 p.m.

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Legislature to Discuss Rural Electrification

With rural electrification considered likely to be one of the highlights of the coming session of the Legislative Assembly, considerable interest attaches to the report of the special committee on rural electrification appointed two years ago.

A progress report was presented by the committee last year, and it is understood the complete report has now been placed before Premier John Hart. No announcement as to its contents has been made, nor is it expected until the Legislature is in session.

The committee consisted of Dr. W. A. Carrothers and Major J. C. MacDonald, of the Public Utilities Commission, and E. Davis, controller of water rights.

Premier Hart has indicated a three-man commission to deal with rural electrification may be appointed.

Harbor Showboat May Be Revived

Kinsmen Club members, who held a dinner and business meeting last night at the Empress Hotel, are in favor of reviving Victoria's harbor showboat, a unique form of entertainment which attracted tourists and residents alike to the Causeway to watch dancers, singers and players of every variety who performed on a large scow, floodlighted in the Inner Harbor. The showboat was discontinued after the Summer of 1937.

Dr. Arthur Poyntz moved that a committee be formed to inquire into the possibility of obtaining another boat and reviving the entertainment. Collections would go to Kinsmen charities.

Dr. Poyntz said that the showboat had been discussed by visitors from all parts of the continent, and he favored starting it again, not only for the attraction of tourists "from which Victoria depends largely for her livelihood," but for the entertainment of large numbers of service personnel stationed here.

During discussion on the proposed arena, which is sponsored by the Kinsmen Club and the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council, it was stated that aside from the $20,000 already collected from stores and electric light bills, the Kinsmen Club had donated $2,500, and individual members of the club had personally subscribed more than $1,000.

"It is a big undertaking," said Jack Phillian, treasurer, "but is coming along nicely so far. Next week the house-to-house campaign will begin, and the special names list will be canvassed."

It was announced that $22,840 had been raised during 1944 for the Milk for Britain fund.

Following the business discussion, two National Film Board pictures were shown, "Sand and Flame" and "Eskimo Summer," by H. Sabiston. Mr. Sabiston was appointed district deputy governor of the club, replacing Maurice O'Connor, now in Vancouver.

Street Light Plans

Purchase of 700 series lamps for city street lights for $2,000, and installation of three new street lights, will be recommended to the City Council by the electric light and decorations committee, Alderman W. H. Davies reported yesterday, following the committee's first meeting of 1945. Other members are Alderman F. G. Mulliner and F. A. Willis.

The committee empowered the chairman, city purchasing agent and lighting superintendent to buy $591 worth of flags to replace those destroyed in the Willows arena fire last Spring. The committee's 1945 estimates were approved for submission to the comptroller-treasurer.

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1 BIRTHS

FARMER—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farmer, 614 Hereward (nee June Hodgkinson), at the Jubilee Hospital on January 24, 1945, a baby daughter, Gail Louise.

2 MARRIAGES

HOPKINS—LE VACK—Mr. and Mrs. B. Le Vack, 3217 Shelbourne Street, announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Audrey, to Cpl. Donald B. Hopkins, R.C.A.F., only son of Mr. D. B. Hopkins and the late Mrs. Hopkins, Coaticook, Quebec, which took place at St. John's Church on January 25, at 8.15 p.m., with Rev. George Biddle officiating.

3 DEATHS

CAMPBELL—On January 23, 1945, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Angus Campbell, of Plenty, Sask., aged 80 years, born in Sutherlandshire, Scotland, coming to Canada in 1906.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday, at 3 p.m. Interment in Colwood Burial Park. (No flowers, by request.)

HOGAN—At Duncan Hospital on January 23, 1945, Lawrence Hunt, in his 78th year; born in Montreal, came from Pincher Creek, Alberta, to the Cowichan district in 1906. Survived by his wife and daughters, Mrs. Watney and Mrs. Perry, also three grandchildren.

LOCKE-PADDON—Passed away at the family residence, "Kyrion," Greenwood Avenue, on January 23, 1945, Kathleen Rebecca Locke-Paddon, widow of the late Rev. Canon W. F. Locke-Paddon, of Mayne Island. She was born in Ireland and a resident of Victoria and district for 50 years. Survived by five sons, William, John and Edward Locke, of California; Francis Locke, of Nelson, and Wortham Locke, of Quick Station, B.C.; three daughters, Mrs. Clifton Baker, Bath, England; Mrs. Donald Macfadyen, Hurbin, England, and Mrs. Montague Bruce, of Saanichton.
Funeral services will be held in the Church of St. Mary Magdalene, Mayne Island, on Friday afternoon. Rev. George Biddle will officiate. The Thomson Funeral Home have charge of the arrangements.

ODDY—At St. Joseph's Hospital on January 23, 1945, Louise Oddy, of 520 Cook Street, in her 81st year, widow of Walter Oddy, born in Belfast, Ireland, and a resident of this city for 23 years. She leaves two sons, L.A.C. Maurice Oddy, R.C.A.F., and Lieut. D. M. Oddy, Canadian Army Overseas; three sisters, Mrs. Dunkley and Mrs. Helen B. Edward, in Victoria, and Mrs. Ada Alexander, in Sea Island; one brother, W. F. Truswell, Trail, B.C.; also two daughters-in-law, Mrs. Helen Oddy, in Trail, and Mrs. Ella Oddy, in Vancouver, also four grandchildren.
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Warns Voters Of Socialism

WOODFORD, Ont., Jan. 26 (CP).—The C.C.F. Party no longer is a Co-operative Commonwealth Federation because through influence it has become a "Socialist party" Garfield Case, Progressive Conservative candidate in the North Grey by-election of February 5, said tonight.

In a speech prepared for delivery to a political rally here, Mr. Case said that the "brains" behind the C.C.F. Party was "David Lewis, a Russian-born Jewish refugee—and by that reference I don't want to detract from him in any way."

Mr. Lewis is national secretary of the C.C.F. with headquarters in Ottawa.

Mr. Case said that Mr. Lewis had come to Canada from Russia with his parents when he was a boy. He was educated in Canadian schools and had gone to England to complete his studies at Oxford University.

"Now he seeks to put in effect a system that is being used in Russia," said Mr. Case.

"Come what may, if Socialists gain control of the Government of this country we will have state ownership, restrictions, controls and all that goes with socialism.

"While we have the greatest admiration for what the Russians are doing, who would think for a moment of trading our lot for theirs, even though theirs is much better than it was under the old Czar regime?"

VANCOUVER, Jan. 25 (CP).—J. M. Macdonnell, policy chairman of the National Progressive Conservative Party, said today that "Prime Minister King is trying to make political capital out of the fact that we are opposing General McNaughton in Grey North."

"While one doesn't like to see an election contest involving a Defence Minister in wartime, it is vitally important that the man holding that position should have the support of the majority of the people," he said in an interview shortly after his arrival here. "It looks very much as if the Government's toes are getting cold on the by-election."

OWEN SOUND, Ont., Jan. 25 (CP).—M. J. Coldwell, national leader of the C.C.F., said in an interview today that the "Liberal Party had put every pressure that could be put upon me to keep out of the North Grey by-election of February 5."

Mr. Coldwell said Prime Minister Mackenzie King could under law call off the by-election by dissolving Parliament. He did not know whether Mr. King would take such a step which would "be evidence that he expects certain defeat in the by-election."

Mr. Coldwell said he was convinced that Mr. King wanted a wartime election, and was seeking some issue on which he could place the blame for the election on the opposition parties.

OTTAWA, Jan. 25 (CP).—Defence Minister McNaughton's statement in a Grey North campaign speech last night that the Atlantic was alive with U-boats today brought only a noncommittal statement from naval headquarters here.

Hon. Colin Gibson, acting in the absence of Navy Minister Macdonald, said:

"While there has been an intensification of U-boat warfare, the Department of National Defence for naval services is not yet in a position to give out details."

MINISTER GIVES REPORT

Rev. W. Mortimer Lamb reported on activities during the recent annual meeting of the parish of All Saints, Westholme and Crofton.

Officers elected included D. V. Dunlop, vicar's warden; L. P. Foster, people's warden; Miss B. P. Foster, Mrs. J. MacEwan, Mrs. J. B. Bailey, L. F. Solly, J. S. Dyke, Capt. J. H. Worsley, Capt. J. D. Groves, H. S. H. Jones, R. H. L. MacDowell and G. Thornton-Sharpe, church committee; Mr. Foster, Mr. Thornton-Sharpe, Capt. Worsley and Mr. MacDowell, synod delegates; Mrs. G. C. Dee, Mrs. E. N. Eldridge, Miss Foster, Mrs. F. Lloyd, Mrs. Bailey and Miss R. Solly, rural-deanal delegates, and Major J. B. Bailey, auditor.

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Red Cross Notes

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Annual reports showed the sum of $523.36 was turned in to Duncan headquarters, 392 sewn articles, 12 quilts, 15 rag dolls, 138 knitted articles, 12 face cloths, handkerchiefs and remade clothes were also turned in.

It was reported at the annual meeting of the Brentwood and Saanichton units of the Canadian Red Cross, held recently in the Women's Institute Hall, that the sum of $3,189.29 had been collected during the past year, and 2,059 articles had been sent in. Captain N. Gray, president, opened the meeting, thanking the workers for their support during 1944. A vote of thanks to the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society was passed, thanking them for a stall at the Saanich Fall Fair. Officers for 1945 were elected as follows: President, Capt. N. Gray; first vice-president, Mrs. J. C. Butterfield; second vice-president, Mrs. J. Champion; secretary-treasurer, Capt. G. W. E. Wyllys; general convener, Mrs. H. R. Gale; assistant secretary and publicity convener, Mrs. L. Thomson, and entertainment convener, Mrs. J. J. Young.

P.-T. Associations

James Bay P.-T.A. will hold a picture show Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the auditorium of South Park School.

Mrs. D. P. Ryall was appointed secretary-treasurer of the Gordon Head P.-T.A. at the recent meeting. Mrs. C. Goodwin, vice-president, gave an interesting talk on "Facing Today and Tomorrow With Our Children." A vote of thanks was passed to Mrs. Frank Farrow, retiring secretary, for her work. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lambrick were thanked for help over a period of years. Mrs. Hugh Sutherland, Mrs. F. Speed and Miss Hazel Stewart presented committee reports, and Mrs. A. R. Schaufele told of a party for the children. Mrs. C. Goodwin was in the chair.

Two interesting films, sponsored by the Film Forum, were shown at the recent meeting of the Monterey P.-T.A., held in the auditorium. They were: "Training of Australian Soldiers" and "Mask of Nippon." The latter showed the duality of the Japanese national character, the countryside with its beauty in comparison to the brutality of the soldiers, Japan's modern cities and industries, and the significance of Shintoism and her military hierarchy. Following the films, an open discussion was led by Mr. Charles Patrick, representing the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. W. R. Harper, president, was in the chair. An executive meeting will be held February 7, at the home of Mrs. R. Jackson, Mitchell Street. Tentative plans were made for the Spring tea.

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Brazilian Traction	22¾	23
Burlington Steel	10½	11¼
Canadian Celanese	46	46½
Canadian Pacific Railway	12¾	12¾
Canada Streamships, pfd.	43½	44
Consolidated M. & S.	50	50¾
Fanny Farmer	37½	37¾
Ford of Canada "A"	25	25½
Gatineau Power 5% pfd.	98	98½
Inter-Meta l Indust. 6% pfd.	105	105½
Imperial Tobacco	13½	13
Imperial Oil	13¾	14
Inter-Metal Indust. "A"	23¾	24
International Nickel	31⅝	31¾
International Petroleum	21¾	22
Lobiaw Groc. "A"	27½	28
Montreal L.H. & Power	21¾	22¼
Noranda	50½	51
Page-Hersey Tubes		101
Shawinigan W. & P.	17⅝	18
Steel of Canada	70	71
Hiram Walker, G. & W.	71¾	72
Bank of Montreal	17	17¼
Royal Bank of Canada	16	16½
Canadian Bank of Commerce	14½	15
Dominion Bank	18	19

Insulin Is a Body Builder

By Dr. J. B. WARREN



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LONDON (CP) — Major Charles Ferguson Hoey, V.C., M.C., 30, Duncan, B.C., member of the Lincolnshire Regiment who was killed last February left an estate in England valued at £1,948 (about $8,750).

Your Daily Forecast

By EDWARD A. WAGNER
PLANETARY GUIDE FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 1945

Keywords for the Day: Sociability, Harmony.

Friday In General—This day is mainly favorable, although the period from 10 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. is the most auspicious especially for matters having to do with sociability, contacts, attention to employment, work and service, necessities, buying or selling. Be cautious in transit, tactful in dealings with others prior to and after the times mentioned.

If January 26 Is Your Birthdate—"Many happy returns." Famous persons born on this date include: Douglas MacArthur, commander U.S. army in Far East; Dewolf Hopper, Jr., actor; B. F. Keith, theatre proprietor.

Your Year Ahead—This is a favorable time for the advancement of practical interests especially those which have to do with employment, service, necessities, wardrobe, finances and possessions. Seek to make gains here. Steer clear of involvements or complications, be careful as to what you say or write, however.

According to Culbertson - - - -

It is a strange fact that while average players seem to have great affection for three no trump contracts, sound or unsound, they almost invariably want a trump suit when they get up to the slam levels. Today's deal is typical in this respect.

North, dealer.

East-West vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ K J 10 7
♥ A Q 6
♦ K Q 5 4
♣ 10 4

WEST
♠ Q 6 5 4
♥ J 10 9 3 2
♦ J 7
♣ 9 3

EAST
♠ A 8 3
♥ K 7 4
♦ 10 9 8 6
♣ 7 6 2

SOUTH
♠ 9 2
♥ 8 5
♦ A 3 2
♣ A K Q J 8 5

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 NT	Pass	4 ♣	Pass
4 NT	Pass	6 ♣	Pass
Pass	Pass		

North-South were not using any four no trump convention, hence when North made that bid, it was simply an announcement that he wanted to play at a no trump contract. South later admitted that he was under no misapprehension concerning North's wishes, but (South said) it had seemed that six clubs would be at least as safe as six no trump, and there was, of course, the matter of the 100 honors.

On both counts, the safety of the respective contracts and the 100 honors, South was off his base. South should have reminded himself that there was such a thing as an opening lead. There were no tenaces or minor honors in the South hand to make a lead up to that hand desirable, but surely there was a possibility (actually it was a fact) that a lead up to North's hand might be crucial.

Actually, the opening lead ruined the six club bid. West chose the heart jack and that was the finish of six clubs. Six no trump, with North as declarer, would have been iron-clad, no matter what East chose to open, simply through the good fortune of finding the spade queen in West's hand.

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